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Cluster zoning plan aired by Planning Board

Convinced of a growing need for housing in Wilmington, the Planning Board last week aired a revitalized version of a proposed town bylaw which would permit planned residential development (PRD) or cluster zoning in Wilmington.

Similar plans have been shot down at town meetings on at least two previous occasions. However, this time the Planning Board may have a winner.

Among the changes in the proposed bylaw is the requirement of town meeting approval of detailed plans for the development of each site in order for the re-zoning to take place.

Another is a maximum allowable density of three and one-half units per acre, one half unit less than the presently allowed four units per acre in districts designated single residence B.

"This town is in need of housing," Planning Board Chairman John DeRoy told the score of residents who attend last Wednesday's public meeting on a draft of the proposed bylaw. "Wilmington is not expanding at the rate the master plan said it would." The plan, he said, had predicted that Wilmington would be a town of 20,000 to 22,000 by 1970 when in actuality it has lagged behind that

figure by 20 percent.

"This could mean the housing that many, many people have requested for Wilmington," DeRoy said. "There is a provision in the bylaw for housing for the elderly, a segment of the population we are all concerned about."

A slide show of PRD housing in Lincoln, Lexington and Concord was presented at the meeting by Kevin Hurley, a Concord planning consultant who has been working with the Planning Board on PRD zoning since last fall. The slides showed townhouses, apartments, duplexes, and single family homes within individual PRD developments. Most were of traditional design and all were attractively landscaped.

"These are not the apartment houses of the 1950's," he said.

One much discussed suggestion, a proposal by Arthur Spear of Burlington Avenue to require that all PRD sites be served by municipal sewerage, has not as yet been incorporated into the proposed bylaw, but the planning board has promised to do some "rethinking" on the issue. As presented last week, the bylaw would allow on-site disposal systems on land that, prior to rezoning, meets Board of Health requirements for

such systems.

"Everybody gets nervous about these on-site disposal areas," Spear said. "You can eliminate five hours of arguing at the town meeting if you allow no on-site disposal. The only to get this enabling act passed is to convince people there are no loopholes in it."

DeRoy said, however, that though the Planning Board had learned at last year's town meeting that a sewerage only provision would probably ensure the bylaw's enactment, the Planning Board feels that this is not entirely the way to go.

For one thing, according to DeRoy, eliminating on-site disposal would also mean eliminating most of the town's available sites which have the required 15 acres. Besides, said DeRoy, single family homes would do far worse damage to the drainage at the sites. "These are larger developers and they can afford to build better systems."

There are approximately 30 parcels of land left in town which have the required 15 acres.

According to Planning Board member Louis Maglio, some towns actually require on-site disposal systems in order to prevent water from leaving the town. "You can look

at both sides of the argument, in Wayland they wanted the water to percolate back into the soil and back into the wellfields eventually."

Wilmington's water commissioners have yet to respond to the Planning Board's request for feedback on the proposed bylaw. Some at the meeting questioned whether the town's water supply would be adequate to supply PRD developments. However DeRoy claims that such developments usually result in smaller, not greater populations than do conventional subdivisions.

"Subdivisions tend to bring in a greater population," he said, "while condominiums tend to bring in more buildings, but fewer people." As an example, he cited a fictitious 58-acre parcel. It could, DeRoy said, support up to 68 single family homes, while under PRD 144 units might be allowed. However, both would probably result in an equal number of total residents, he said.

Special provisions in the draft proposal would exempt the Wilmington Housing Authority (WHA) from many of the standards set for other developers.

They would not be required to meet the requirement for retaining 40 percent of the trace for common open

space, nor would they be required to adhere to the maximum allowable density of the 3½ units per acre. The WHA would still be required however to adhere to the procedural requirements of obtaining town meeting approval and a planning board special permit and would be required to honor total tract area as well as height, set back and utility requirements.

"These standards have been designed to control profit motivated developers," said Hurley, and their costs would restrict the WHA unnecessarily as it tries to serve the part of the population it was meant to serve."

Spear, however, argued that this kind of exemption would actually be discrimination. While the bylaw is written for everyone, he said, a "special little segment of elected officials can do anything they want."

Other provisions of the draft bylaw include: A minimum 50-foot set-back from each boundary line or public way ... a maximum allowable height per building of 2½ stories ... 40 percent of the total tract area to be retained as common open space ... direct input in the application process by the Water & Sewer Commissioners, Board of Health, Con-

servation Commission, Town Engineer, Building Inspector, Police and Fire Departments, and the Planning Board.

In figuring the maximum number of units to be allowed, wetlands areas would first be deducted from the total acreage, DeRoy said. "The Conservation Commission will hang them the minute they get near a puddle," he quipped.

Present at the meeting was Wilmington builder Paul Butt. Last year Butt had sponsored an article on the town meeting warrant which would have re-zoned 22 acres on Salem Street for PRD. He withdrew his article, however, when the Planning Board-sponsored enabling act failed to pass.

This year, Butt says, he will have no proposal for the town meeting. Last year's, he said, cost him a lot of money and to no avail. "If they don't approve it this year, I will sub-divide the land into regular house lots," Butt said.

In four to six weeks, DeRoy said, the Planning Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed bylaw. Residents who wish to suggest changes in the proposed bylaw should submit their ideas in writing to the Planning Board before that time, he said.

Pin prank brings criminal charges

Practical jokes can often prove to be dangerous. Such was the case at Wilmington High School Tuesday morning, when a ninth grader suffered a severe fainting spell shortly after being stabbed in the arm with a large pin as he walked to his fourth period class.

The youth was treated and released Tuesday at the Wilmington Regional Health Center. The prankster who stabbed him, also a minor, was arrested by Wilmington police and

charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

"These little jokes are more serious than some students realize," said High School Principal George Eisenberg. "Sticking someone could be deadly."

Rumors had been circulating during the day that the pin was coated with a drug (mescaline was one of the names mentioned) which caused the injured youth to faint. However, Eisenberg said that tests taken at the Health Center indicated no evidence

of any drug.

Police are also questioning two female minors regarding an arson attempt which took place last week in the ladies room of the Wilmington Public Library, Eisenberg said. The High School, he said, has had a series of locker fires over the past four months. The most recent one necessitated a brief evacuation of the school while the locker fire, a smokey one on the second floor, was extinguished.



Arrested after accident

Jay Sciascia of Highland St., Woburn was arrested following this accident on Main St. Sunday night. The pole was snapped off a few feet above the ground and landed upright in the street.



Jeanne Ashworth on Olympic delegation to Greece

When the Olympic torch arrives in Washington, D.C. on February 1, one member of the Olympic delegation will be a woman well-known in Wilmington.

Jeanne Ashworth is the only person from Wilmington to have ever been selected for Olympic competition. She won a bronze medal in the 500 meter women's speed skating event in the 1960 Winter Olympics at Squaw Valley, Cal.

Hockey has long since replaced speed skating as the number one game in town, but 20 years ago in Wilmington, everyone was speed skating.

The speed skating boom hit its peak when the Eastern Seaboard Outdoor Championships were held at Silver Lake on January 23-24, 1960.

Speed skating in Wilmington started with the Backmans. Carl "Bucky" Backman started skating in

the Silver Skates in Boston, an event sponsored by the Daily Record. By the late 1950's, the Silver Skates would draw 1200 Wilmington spectators to Boston Garden. George Spanos, "The Mayor of Wilmington," would arrange for a special train to take the Wilmington delegation to Boston each year.

The Backman family was brought up on skates, and they became known as the "Flying Backmans." Janet Backman held several North American and National Championships and narrowly missed selection for the Olympic team. Leon "Butch" Backman won a National championship. Carl Jr. and Knute Backman each held New England championships. Life Magazine prepared a feature article on the family, but it was bumped out of the magazine by an article on Willie Mosconi.

Other Wilmington families were involved, and there were hundreds of Wilmington youngsters on skates. Many of them brought home championships, including Mike Weinberg, Clyde McKaba, Len Galvin, the O'Connell brothers, and Jeff Williamson.

Wilmington's best known speed skater was Jeanne Ashworth. At the time of the Eastern States meet in 1960, she was in California, preparing for the Olympics. In the 1960 Olympics, she was the only United States woman speed skater to take a medal.

Twenty-one years old at the time, she held three of the four championships for which she was eligible. She was North American Women's Senior Indoor Champion, National Women's Senior Indoor Champion and National Senior Outdoor Champion. She had also held several North American championships in her teen years.

Jeanne grew up on Church Street, but spent much of her time on Lowell Street. Her father, Raymond Ashworth, ran a candy and ice cream business in the building that later was Stelios Restaurant.

Jeanne spent her time learning to skate on a small pond near what is now the Avco tennis courts.

Eventually the Ashworths moved to Wilmington, New York, near Lake Placid, where Jeanne had skated in many competitions. Lake Placid had been the site of the 1932 Olympics, and the 1980 Winter Olympics will be held there next month.

The Lake Placid area has been preparing for the Olympics for a few years. Jeanne was not on the committee, but she is reasonably well-known in the area. She has taken up her father's craft, and runs a candy making business, Santa's Workshop at North Pole, New York.

The Olympic committee asked Jeanne to be a part of the delegation to go to Greece, to Mount Olympus, and bring the torch back to the United States. She will leave for Greece on Sunday, and return on Friday, to Washington, D.C.

Jeanne's daughter Robin, age nine, has written an article about her mother's upcoming trip for the school newspaper.

New assistant minister at Methodist Church

The Rev. Sue Bosco has assumed the duties of Assistant Pastor at the Wilmington United Methodist Church. Presently a student at Boston University School of Theology, she is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts at Amherst and has attended Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, South Hamilton.

Her pastoral experience includes pastoring the First Methodist Church, Grasmere, N.H. and interning at Starrett Memorial United Methodist Church, Athol. She has also served as librarian of the Phineas S. Newton Library, Royalston, Mass., and has taught French, English, and Special Education at schools in Western Massachusetts.

She has been an active participant in civic, community and church organizations in the towns where she has lived. She has three children. She will live at 85 Church Street, in the parsonage maintained for the Assistant Pastor.



William J. Gustus
wishes to announce
that he is now engaged in the
general practice of law at
190 Middlesex Avenue
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Sterling staying

Rumors have been circulating in Wilmington to the effect that Town Manager Sterling Morris would be leaving.

When asked if such were the case, Morris said that it was not, at least in the foreseeable future.

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coming events

Wed., Jan. 23: Tewks. Growler staff meeting at North Meadow Tennis Club.

Wed., Jan. 23: 7 p.m. Financial aid seminar at Wil. H.S. large cafe.

Thurs., Jan. 24: 7 p.m., Tewks. Youth Soccer coaches meeting at Jr. High School library.

Fri., Jan. 25: 9:30 to 11 a.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m., Rep. Jim Miceli at Tewks. Town Hall.

Sat., Jan. 26: noon to 1 p.m. Free Rec Basketball clinic, girls ages nine and 10 at WHS gym.

Sat., Jan. 26: 6 to 7:30 p.m. Pot luck supper and film at North Tewks. Baptist Church, Rte. 133.

Sun., Jan. 27: 9:55 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. All Day Mission Fair at North Tewks. Baptist Church, Rte. 133. Call 851-7681 for meal reservations. All welcome.

Sun., Jan.-27: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tewks. Bloodmobile at Wamesit Masonic apts. on Victor Drive. Appt. 851-7170 or 851-3776, or walk in.

Sun., Jan. 27: 7 to 9 p.m. Pot luck supper at St. John's Chapter Separated and Divorced persons, at St. John the Evangelist Church, No. Chelmsford.

Mon., Jan. 28: 1:30 p.m. Whist party at Wil. Senior Center.

Mon., Jan. 28: 2 to 3:30 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Rep. Jim Miceli at 4A Colonial Park Mall, Wil.

Mon., Jan. 28: 7 p.m. Tewks. Camp Fire LSO meeting at Elks Hall.

Mon., Jan. 28: 7 to 9 p.m. Monday evening classes begin for Wilmington Community Schools, Inc. at the high school.

Mon. & Tues., Jan. 28 & 29: 7 p.m., auditions for "Lady on the Rocks," a one-act drama at W.H.S.

Tues., Jan. 29: 7 p.m. Registration and first night of Spring term Tewks. night school at Junior H.S.

Tues., Jan. 29: 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday evening classes begin for Wilmington Community Schools, Inc. at the high school.

Tues., Jan. 29: 8 p.m. Merrimack Valley Chapter Parents Without Partners. Lawrence. Call 658-2776.

Wed., Jan. 30: 10 a.m. Wil. seniors trip to J.F.K. Library. Register at senior center.

Thurs., Jan. 31: Last day to register for Wil. Single Family group (single parents). Call Wil. Family Counseling Service at 658-9889.

Thurs., Jan. 31: 7 p.m. to midnight. Movie night at Wil. K of C Hall to benefit Wil. Midget Hockey trip to Newfoundland - sports-fights movies.

Sat., Feb. 2: 10 a.m. Open meeting by Sen. Paul Tsongas at Woburn City Council Chambers, 10 Common St. All welcome.

Sat., Feb. 2: noon to 1 p.m. Free Rec Basketball Clinic, girls ages nine and 10, at WHS gym.

Sat., Feb. 2: noon to 8 p.m. Register to vote at Tewks. Town Hall for Presidential Primary Election.

Sat., Feb. 2: 8 p.m., Tewks. Jaycee Awards Banquet at K of C Hall, Tewks. Tickets 851-3633 or 851-5305.

Sun., Feb. 3: 2 p.m. "Rumpelstiltskin" at Bedford H.S. auditorium sponsored by Shawsheen Valley Hadassah.

Sun., Feb. 3: 4 p.m. Paul Beauregard, singer, guitarist, composer at Baptist Church, Rt. 62, Wil.

Tues., Feb. 5: 8:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Register to vote at Tewks. Town Hall for Presidential Primary Election.

Wed., Feb. 6: 8 p.m. Parents Without Partners general meeting at Andover K of C. Osgood St. "Coping with drugs and children." Newcomers welcome.

Thurs., Feb. 7: 4 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Boston Ballet Company at Tewks. Hospital. Tickets at Hosp. lobby, Sheehan's Drug Store and Tewks. Andover Bank.

Sat., Feb. 9 thru Mon., Feb. 25: Girl Scout door-to-door cookie sale, Wil. and Tewks.

Sat., Feb. 9: 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Semi-annual Charity Fair at Burlington Mall.

Wed., Feb. 13: Meeting of Tewks. Garden Club at Patten Library.

Fri., Feb. 15: Last day to file Warrant Articles for Wil. Town Meeting.

Sat., Feb. 16: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wil. Blood Drive at K of C Hall.

Sat., Feb. 16: 7:30 p.m. Valentine Dinner Dance at Villanova Hall. Tickets 658-2999.

Fri., Feb. 22: 12 noon, deadline to submit articles for Tewks. Town Meeting.

Thurs., Mar. 13: Last day to obtain nomination papers from Wil. town clerk.

Mon., Mar. 17: Last day to file nomination papers with Wil. Town Clerk.

Fri., Mar. 21: W.H.S. P.A.C. Scholarship Dance at Sons of Italy Hall. W. Newhouse band. Tickets, 658-9724.

Sat., Apr. 19: Wilmington Town Election at H.S. gym.

Sat., Apr. 26: Wilmington Town Meeting at H.S. gym.

Sat., April 19: 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. (rain date Apr. 26) 2nd Annual Shawsheen Tech Teen Fair - Flea Market. Dealer space available. Call 667-2111.

Mon., Jan. 28: 3:15 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 343; 3:30 p.m., Cub Scout Den Four; 7 p.m., Boy Scout Troop 59; 7:30 p.m., Commission on Evangelism; 8 p.m., Board of Trustees.

Tuesday: 3:30 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 487; 7:30 p.m., Chancel Choir rehearsal; 8:30 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday: 9:30 a.m., Bible study with child care.

Thursday: 3:30 p.m., Brownie Troop 20; 7:30 p.m., Lay Academy, Nominations and Personnel.

Boston Ballet Company to perform Feb. 7

Area art enthusiasts will have a rare opportunity to view a ballet company when the Boston Ballet Company visits Tewksbury Hospital for two performances on February 7.

There will be a performance at 4 p.m. and an evening performance at 7:30. Matinee prices are \$2.50, while the evening show is \$5. Following the evening show, there will be a reception with the Tewksbury Garden Club. The event is sponsored by the newly created Friends of Tewksbury Hospital.

In making the announcement, Paul McAskill, president of the Friends, said that the group was happy to be able to bring to Tewksbury such a stellar attraction as the Boston Ballet. This is the first of a series of cultural events for the year.

Through the cooperation of superintendent Thomas J. Saunders of the Tewksbury Hospital, this event will be held in the new hospital auditorium, which makes possible a nominal admission fee.

Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis with only 500 tickets allowed for each performance.

Rep. James Miceli office hours

Representative James R. Miceli, who represents both Tewksbury and Wilmington on Beacon Hill, will hold office hours for constituents on the following dates:

Tewksbury: At the Town Hall, Friday, January 25 from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. and from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

Wilmington: At 4A Colonial Park Mall, Monday, January 28 from 2:00 to 3:30 and from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

Wilmington United Methodist Church

The Rev. Richard L. Evans, pastor, 658-8217; the Rev. Suzanne A. Bosco, asst. pastor, 658-2912; office, 658-4519. Accessible to the handicapped.

Fri., Jan. 25: 7 p.m., Pack 59.

Sun., Jan. 27: 8:45 a.m., Early worship and communion; 10 a.m., Family worship, sermon, School of Christian Living; 11:15 a.m., Good News Singers rehearsal; 4 to 6 p.m., Mission Program, "In Search of Solutions" at Wilmington United Church; 6:30 p.m., Junior United Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Mon., Jan. 28: 3:15 p.m., Girl Scout Troop 343; 3:30 p.m., Cub Scout Den Four; 7 p.m., Boy Scout Troop 59; 7:30 p.m., Commission on Evangelism; 8 p.m., Board of Trustees.

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Tech Flea Market

The Second Annual Shawsheen Tech Teen Fair-Flea Market will be on Saturday, April 19, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., with a rain date of April 26.

Over 175 dealer spaces were sold at last year's event. One of the highlights this year will be a number of student sponsored events and game booths. Trophies will be awarded, by shop areas, for the best entries.

Reserved dealer spaces are available on a first-come basis at \$7 for a single space and \$12 for a double space. Dealers reserving space before March 1 may deduct \$2 from the fee. Send checks payable to Shawsheen Tech Class of '82, 100 Cook Street, Billerica, Ma. 01866.

Tickets are available in the lobby of the Tewksbury Hospital; the new Senior Citizens' Center on Chandler Street; Tewksbury Andover Bank on Main Street; Sheehan's Drug Store; and from members of the Friends of the Tewksbury Hospital.

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Democrats who believe John Anderson is the best candidate for President can vote for him in the March 4th Republican Primary.

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Girl Scouts cookie drive to begin Feb. 9

Neighborhood and Town Cookie chairmen from the Merrimack River Girl Scout Council met Wednesday, January 16 at the Andover Country Club to coordinate final preparations for the 1980 Cookie Sale.

Jean Gessner of Tewksbury, Council Cookie Sale chairman, introduced Marge Davis, executive director, who outlined council needs for the coming year and highlighted details in the Plann Book made available to the cookie chairmen.

Local Girl Scouts will be taking orders from February 9 until February 25. This year a box of cookies will cost \$1.50 with 20 going into local troop funds. An additional five cents will go into the council campership funds and 61 will be used to operate the council's camps and their programs for girls.

Donna Nye, camping services director, told of current needs for the Council's resident and day camps. Because camp fees do not cover the true cost of operating the camps, it is essential to have a successful cookie sale to offset the anticipated \$25,000 camp deficit.

Peter Bergin, representative for FFV (a division of Interbake Foods, Inc.), described the seven products sold in this council. Four of these, "Thin Mints," "Shortbread," "Sandwich Cremes," and "Peanut Butter Sandwich," are available in all G.S.U.S.A. Councils. "Peanut Butter Patties," "Granola," and "Sesame Wheat Crackers" were developed by FFV and are unique to their line.

For more information, Call Joan Thomas (Tewksbury) at 851-5439, or Karin Martin (Wilmington) at 658-5960.



Kathleen A. Toomey to wed Lt. John Harrison

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Toomey of Pawtucket, Rhode Island have announced the engagement of their daughter Kathleen A. Toomey to Lt. John A. Harrison son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Harrison of Pilling Road, Wilmington.

Kathleen is a senior at Ladycliff College, Highland Falls, New York. John, a recent graduate of West Point, is on duty at Fort Bliss, Texas.

Karen Roberts on Dean's List

Karen M. Roberts, 10 Lee St., Wilmington has been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at North Shore Community College in

Beverly.

Students named to the list must carry a full course load with a grade point average of 3.0.

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Birthdays

January 27 will mark the special day of at least six Wilmington residents, including: Helen Allen of High Street, Robert Hughson of Laurel Avenue, Kenny Smith Jr. of Clark Street who will make it all the way to 15 on the 27; Kimberly White of Suncrest Avenue who will blow out the candles for the fifth time on the 27th; Eileen Gardner of Clark Street and Jannie Wolff of Woburn Street, who will make it all the way to 14 on January 27.

January 28 is a big day for celebration in Wilmington too, with at least eight residents observing birthdays, including: John R. Campbell of Woburn Street; Maureen Connell of Parker Street who will be 17; Anne Mahoney of Evans Drive; Michele O'Donoghue of Lawrence Street who will be old enough to vote on January 28; Jeanne Reinholdt of Sprucewood Road; Al Sughrue of Chapman Avenue who will also be old enough to vote on the 28th; Karen Matulewicz of Dobson Avenue who will face a birthday cake glowing with seven candles on the 28th and George Webster of Andover Street.

Wilmington mail carrier Bob Butters of Middlesex Avenue will turn another page on January 29 and will share his special day with Jonathan White of Suncrest Avenue who will make it all the way to four; Debbie Bent of Linda Road and Joseph Blair of Michigan Road, Tewksbury.

Diane Duffy of Burnap Street, Wilmington will observe her birthday on January 30 and will share greetings with John DeLuca of Woburn Street.

Brian Gill of Ellington Road, Tewksbury will face a birthday cake glowing with nine candles on January 31. Brian will share his special day with Billy Hezlett of Grace Drive, Wilmington who will be celebrating for the 11th time; Beverly Dalton of Grove Avenue who will also be marking her 11th birthday and Michael D'Errico of Gowing Road and John Elia of Salem Street.

Golden Agers

Wilmington Golden Agers on the current birthday list include Rose Gatta of Cedar Street on January 29 and Beatrice Surrette of Middlesex Avenue, January 31.

Anniversaries

Barbara and Kenny Smith of Clark Street, observed their 19th wedding anniversary on January 7.

Corydon and June Coombs of Middlesex Avenue made it all the way to their 38th anniversary on January 10.

The Phil LeDuc's of Federal Street will dance the Anniversary Waltz for the 36th time on January 30.

If the math is correct, the Wes Baker's of Cedar Street celebrated their 46th anniversary on January 11.

The star

The anniversary star for this week goes to the Wilson (Bill) Belbin's of Morse Avenue who will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on January 31.

To enter

To enter an item in Bits & Pieces, call the Town Crier at 658-2346 days and Tuesday nights or 658-2907 other nights and weekends. Ask for BeeDee.

Back home

Elizabeth (Lynch) Shelley formerly of Grove Avenue, Wilmington, now of Nashua, N.H. has been released from St. Joseph's Hospital in Nashua where she had been confined for 10 days.

Compugraphic earnings

Compugraphic Corp. of Wilmington has reported first quarter earnings of \$4,200,000, or 81 cents per share, an increase from its year-ago earnings of \$4,100,000. Revenues were up from \$70 million.

The company reportedly feels that the long range forecast for 1980 will show a decline in profits, if consideration is given to world events, the energy crisis, and a projected recession.

From the Fire Log

Members of Wilmington's Fire Department answered 42 calls for assistance last week including:

Fourteen ambulance runs, 21 brush fires, three building fires, one car fire, two calls for mutual aid and one service call.

Back in San Diego

David Purtell, son of Kay Purtell of Euclid Road, Tewksbury returned home to San Diego, California recently after spending the Christmas and New-Year's Holidays with friends and relatives in Tewksbury.

Lucky winner

Deputy Fire Chief Jim Morris of Westland Drive, Tewksbury won a sizeable sum of money in the lottery last week.

Back from Jerusalem

Dale McCully of Sheridan Road, Wilmington returned home recently following an extensive tour of Jerusalem during which she visited the Church of the Nativity and enjoyed a boat trip on the Sea of Galilee.

Dale is a 1973 graduate of Wilmington High School and graduated from Fitchburg State College in 1977 where she was a special education major. She is presently a member of the teaching staff at Immaculate Conception Grammar School in Lowell.

Tewksbury fire log

Tewksbury firefighters answered 36 calls for assistance last week including:

Fourteen ambulance runs, 17 brush fires, one smoke alarm, one bomb threat, one fire fire, one accident and one smoke check.

Parents without Partners

Parents without Partners, Merrimack Valley Chapter 136 will hold a general meeting Wednesday, Feb. 6 at 8 p.m. at the Andover K of C, Osgood Street. Newcomers will be most welcome.

"Coping with drugs and children" will be featured. Call 658-2776 for more information.

Additional birthday

Town Crier news carrier Michael Maiella of Sheridan Road, Wilmington will blow out the candles for the 12th time on January 23.

Tewksbury blood drive

William B. Carey of the Tewksbury Town Blood Committee has announced that a Bloodmobile will be held at the Wamesit Masonic apartments, Victor Drive, on Sunday, January 27 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

To make an appointment call 851-7107 or 851-3776. Appointments, however are not necessary and walk-ins will be most welcome.

Promotion for Bev

Beverly Witham, formerly of Seaford Street, Wilmington, now of Lowell has been promoted to the position of production aide in her department at Analog Devices of Woburn Street, Wilmington.

Beverly, a life-long resident of Wilmington moved to Lowell in October. She will assume her new duties on Monday.

New Faces

"New Faces" will be featured at the upcoming Valentine dinner-dance to be sponsored by St. Thomas Women's Club.

The event will take place on Saturday, February 16 at Villanova Hall, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

A baked breast of chicken dinner will be served. Ticket information may be obtained from Ellie Kane at 658-2999.

Paul Beauregard

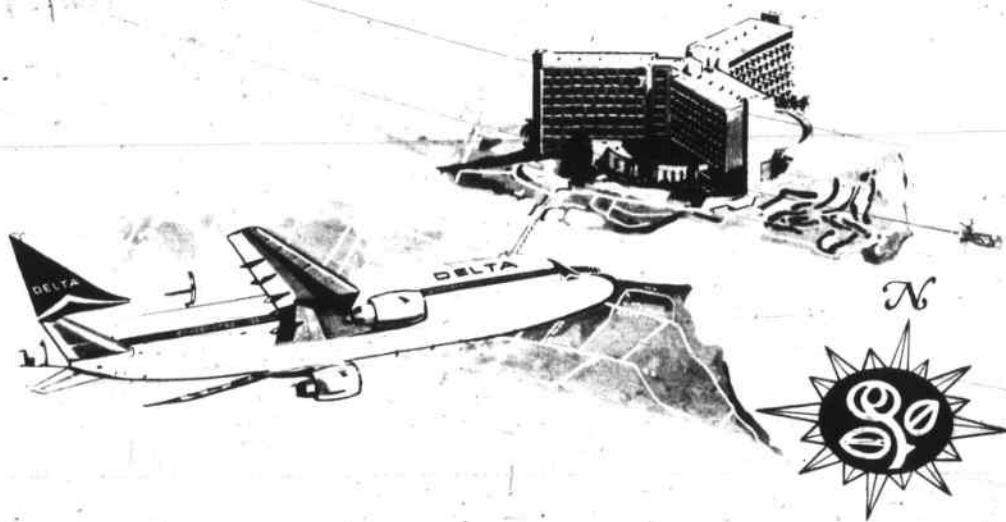
The First Baptist Church of Wilmington has extended an invitation to the public to be on hand at a service with Paul Beauregard beginning at 6 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 3.

Mr. Beauregard is an accomplished singer, guitarist and composer who blends contemporary and classical styles with Scripture lyrics. In addition he leads a group worship and teaches from the Word of God.

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editorial

Ice safety

The unusually mild weather this year has resulted in treacherous ice conditions on the ponds in the area.

Recently a man and his seven year old son were pulled out of the icy waters of Round Pond in Tewksbury by two men who saw them thrashing around. It was a frightening incident.

What can be done to prevent an afternoon of ice skating from turning into a tragedy?

If skaters are to know anything about ice safety, an authoritative source of information is helpful. At present, the police in Tewksbury and Wilmington are unable to give a caller any real information on ice thickness.

Local officials have expressed two objections to posting for ice safety. The first is that if the ice should be posted inaccurately, the town would incur a liability.

Tewksbury Town Counsel Charles Zaroluis has given his opinion that neither the town nor the private landowner could be held responsible for either posting or not posting. It is up to the individual skater to make his own determination. If he is correct in this, then the town would have nothing to lose by at least measuring the ice and posting the thickness. People will make their own decisions anyway, but this would at least give them some information on which to base those decisions.

The second objection is that the signs would probably be torn down by

vandals shortly after being posted. Even if this were to happen, the information would be available to callers at the Police Department. And if only some of the signs survived, if they had warned anyone of the dangers, they would be worthwhile.

Some direction from the top would not hurt. If the selectmen in each town were to instruct a department, such as police, recreation, or what have you, to take daily measurements of ice thickness, it would provide skaters with information that could save lives.

If information on ice safety were presented in the schools, it could help people make their own decisions as to whether or not to skate. How thick should ice be? How long should the temperature be at what reading before ice should be considered safe?

One of the obvious answers, of course, is to go to a rink, or a tennis court that has been flooded. But the ice on the many swamps and ponds in the area will always remain as a temptation, foolish though it may be.

It's time to stop worrying about technicalities. Town officials have the opportunity to save some lives. It is a responsibility that should not be passed around, but acted on.

Town officials have both the responsibility and the opportunity to save lives. It is time to overcome the technicalities.



Two Monday afternoon bicycle riders on Silver Lake ignored the fact that a large part of the lake was open water, and ventured onto the ice. Their luck was better than their judgement, and they did not fall in.

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Verniece Hensey, Black Achiever

She's fighting for human rights

by Elaine DePasquale

It was three days after the birthday of visionary black leader, the late Dr. Martin Luther King. In the Grand Ballroom of Boston's Park Plaza Hotel 72 Black Achievers were being honored by the Greater Boston YMCA for professional excellence for a commitment to minority youth ... in short, for fulfilling the promise of Dr. King's dream.

Among them that night last week was a Wilmington woman, Verniece Hensey of Andover Street.

Hensey is well-known in Wilmington for her many community activities, her inquiring mind and her outspoken opinions. But it was for her contributions in the areas of affirmative action and her professional achievement that led her employer, the Mitre Corporation of Bedford, to nominate her for inclusion in the rolls of Black Achievers of 1980.

The program, sponsored by the Greater Boston YMCA and by Massachusetts industry, celebrated its fifth annual banquet last Friday night.

Hensey, who has been employed at Mitre for nearly 10 years, is an information research analyst. A political science major in her last quarter at Northeastern University, she has managed to survive and thrive in the difficult world of computer science without the benefit of a technical degree. Yet she has had programming experiences in six different computer languages and has worked with 11 different computers.

"I originally wanted to be a lawyer," Hensey confided in the Town Crier last week as she adroitly stitched a border of pearls on the pink linen gown she would wear to the banquet. Her family, however, discouraged her ambition. They believed, she said that to be a black, female lawyer was an all but impossible goal to achieve in those pre-freedom March days of the early 1960's.

Instead, with her family's blessing, Hensey opted for a series of math and physics courses and, when she left college in her junior year, began working at Allied Research, progressing up the corporate ladder to become supervisor of their computer facility.

In 1964, fate, and a job in computer systems design at Dynamics Research, brought her to Wilmington, a move she says she has never regretted.

At the time the Henseys were living

in Easton, south of Boston, and commuting daily to their jobs in Wilmington and Boston. "I was getting very tired of getting up at 4:30 in the morning," said Verniece.

In 1964, though, not all of suburbia was ready to accept a black family into its midst.

"We had some very bad experiences with some real estate agencies," Hensey said. However, when they encountered Nancy Clark, whom Hensey calls "even at that point in time, one of the liberals in the community," the Henseys met with more success. Although the sale of their first choice home fell through, they were able to purchase a lot of land next door and to build an attractive split entry home where Verniece, now divorced, lives with her two children.

In Wilmington, Hensey has thrown her energies into many divergent areas. "I believe in people," said Hensey, and her activities have demonstrated this. She was a member of the League of Women Voters for 15 years, has sung in the choir of the Methodist Church, is a member of the Wilmington Spotlighters Community Theater and has served on its board of directors. In addition, she has served on the board of directors of the Wilmington Youth Football League and been active with its Pep Club and with Wilmington High School's Cheerleading squad.

One of her more rewarding ac-

tivities, she said, was with the Human Rights Committee formed in Wilmington in 1964, a group of nearly 50 residents both black and white who worked together to make the town more aware of human rights issues.

"We were instrumental in getting some of the schools to change their all-white textbooks and in helping the high school begin some courses in human rights and literature for minorities," said Hensey.

At Mitre Corporation, Hensey has recently enlarged her scope of activities to include research and speaking engagements geared toward attracting minorities into the fields of science and engineering. In the summer of 1977, she was named Affirmative Action Coordinator for her division and in this capacity, she, and others, designed a unique program which facilitated the hiring of eight of Roxbury's Madison High School seniors as permanent employees of Mitre.

The program, she says, represented "a very big step ... a big change in Mitre's approach" since traditionally the company had hired graduate students with five to ten years experience only.

Being a working parent hasn't always been a downhill experience for Hensey, however. Her job often requires her to travel. Last year she spent a total of 14 weeks in West Germany as a consultant to the Air Force.



Verniece Hensey, with son Jonathan and daughter Teri.

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"It's a problem, and I lose a lot of sleep," she said, hastening to add that though her children weren't a problem, worrying about them sometimes could be.

"I think a working mother is a lot harder on herself than someone who is at home," said Hensey. "You kind of take on a guilt feeling, but if you think about it isn't merited."

"If I had to do over I would do it the same way," Hensey considered thoughtfully. "My parents used to say 'God gave you a mind, use it.'"

Hensey has no reason to feel guilty about her career. Her two children are a credit to the community and to their family. Terry, 17, is a senior at Phillips Academy in Andover and plans to study communications at Vassar or Stanford University next year. Jonathan, 11, a sixth grade student at the Woburn Street School, is an accomplished percussionist as well as a line backer and running back in Wilmington's Pop Warner Football League.

The Black Achievers program initiated by the Greater Boston YMCA in 1976 has a dual purpose. It not only provides the Achievers with public recognition and reinforcement for their accomplishments, but through its Linkage program is concerned with helping and inspiring black youth to become successful in their chosen careers.

Each Black Achiever, in order to receive his or her award, must make a one-year commitment to help provide minority youth with a greater understanding of occupations and how they relate to education. Several ways of doing this are open to each Achiever. They may involve giving career presentations, facilitating tours and internships within their own companies or being "big brothers" or "big sisters."

The Black Achiever program also attempts to provide positive role models for minority youth, Hensey said, "to show that there are blacks in other things besides basketball and football...blacks who are out there living everyday lives, working and achieving a high level of success."

Hensey said she was surprised and pleased to be named a Black Achiever of 1980. "I think one thing minorities need," she said, "is to be seen more in technical rather than service areas. There is a need in terms of company personnel to encourage minorities to consider the technical fields, and the best way for me to help is to stay involved."

obituaries

Grace C. Lascelles, 35 years in Wilmington

Mrs. Grace C. Lascelles, formerly of 15 Nassau Avenue, Wilmington died Thursday evening.

Eighty-two years of age, Mrs. Lascelles was born in Charlestown, the daughter of the late Catherine E. (Coughlin) and the late Enos G. Dodge. She had been a resident of Wilmington for over 53 years.

Mrs. Lascelles was the wife of the late Francis L. Lascelles, Sr. and is survived by her six children: Francis L., Jr. of Exeter, New Hampshire, Edmund J. of Tewksbury, William A. of LaVerne, California, Mrs. Grace C. McGondel of Wilmington, Mrs. Pauline F. Capps of Tewksbury and Mrs. Jacqueline M. Bland of Salem,

New Hampshire; her five sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Dower, Mrs. Pauline Neary, Miss Margaret Dodge, Mrs. Mildred Finn all of Medford and Mrs. Nellie Kane of Hudson, Mass.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street, Wilmington on Monday morning at 10:00 followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Thomas Church at 11:00 which was celebrated by the Rev. Victor LaVoie. Burial took place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Serving as pall bearers for Mrs. Lascelles were her six grandsons, Louis Lascelles, Edward Lascelles, Robert Lascelles, James Capps, George McGondel and Craig Bland.

George E. Peltier, World War One veteran

George E. Peltier of 151 South Street, Tewksbury died on Friday, January 18, following a prolonged illness.

Mr. Peltier, who was 82 years of age, was born in Jaffrey, New Hampshire, the son of the late Ada A. (Fargo) and the late Alfred Peltier. He had lived in Wilmington for a few years prior to moving to Tewksbury 35 years ago.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War I and, prior to retirement had been employed in the construction business.

He was the husband of the late Catherine V. (Daly) Peltier and is survived by his step-daughter, Mrs. Veronica C. Sutherland of Tewksbury.

The funeral was held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street on Monday morning at 9:00 followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Dorothy's Church at 10:00 which was celebrated by the Rev. Father J. Kevin McAndrew. Burial took place in the family lot, Tewksbury Cemetery.

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In memory of Robert Meekins, from Mr. and Mrs. George Justice.

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Thurs., Jan. 24: 7:30 Battalion Boys ages 12-18.

Fri., Jan. 25: 6:30 p.m., Pilgrim Girls grades one through six; 6:30 p.m., Stockade Boys, ages eight

through 11.

Sun., Jan. 27: 9:30 a.m., Bible classes for all ages; 11 a.m., Morning worship services; 4 p.m., Baptist Youth Fellowship; 6 p.m., Evening service with Robert Peterson from "New Life Centers" as guest speaker.

Mon., Jan. 28: 7:30 Thru the Bible study at Evelyn Allen's.

Tues., Jan. 29: 7 p.m., Shikari Girls for grades seven through 12.

Charles S. Sherman, is assistant vice president

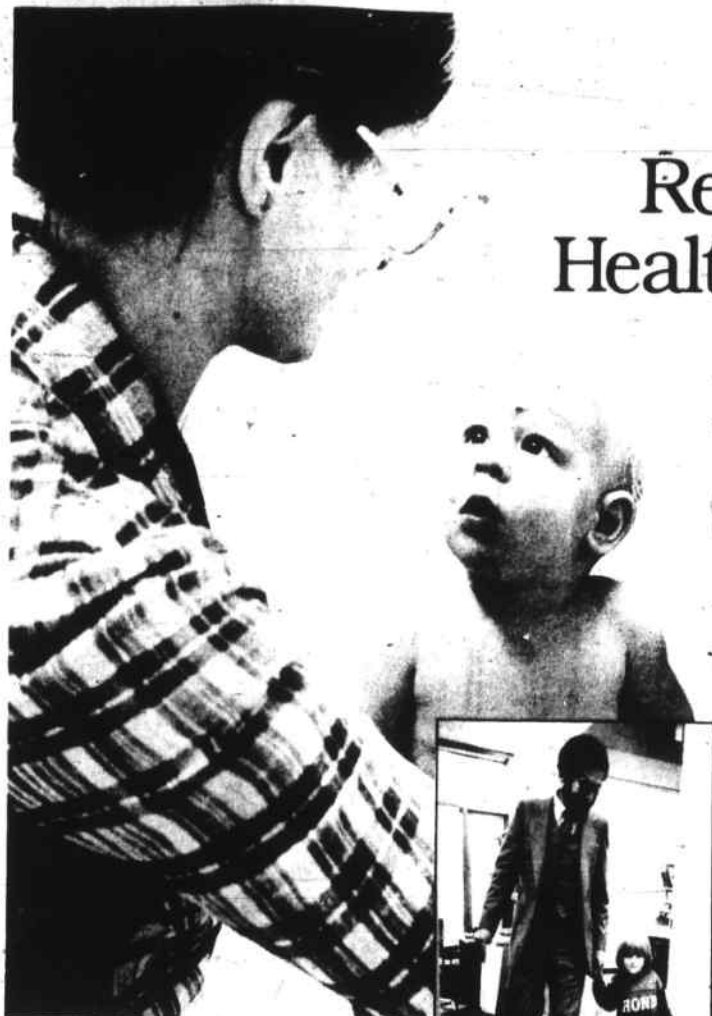


Charles Sherman

Commonwealth Bank-Norfolk has announced that Charles S. Sherman of 2 Hillcrest Street, Wilmington has been elected assistant vice president and acting treasurer of the bank. He had previously served as assistant treasurer.

Sherman has been employed by the bank or its affiliate Commonwealth Bank and Trust Company since 1972 when he began his career as a teller. Since his graduation from Chelsea High School, he has completed several courses through the American Institute of Banking and is currently working toward his Bachelor of Arts Degree at Northeastern. He is a member of the Brookline Kiwanis.

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The lady who sold the home, last year, to the present owners, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hermon, was Marion Cole Connor. The lady is a daughter of the Cole family of Wilmington, and somehow, the Town Crier did not associate that family with the late Rev. Mr. Morrill.

But she is a member of the family. She is about a great-great-great granddaughter of Parson Morrill, and she lived in that home for nearly half a century.

There are several persons living in Wilmington who are descended from the Rev. Mr. Morrill, and of this the Town Crier must plead ignorance. Sometime in the future, the reader is assured, the Town Crier will have the stories of the present generation, complete (it is hoped) with pictures. As an historical note, let it be

recorded that the Morrill family lived in that home for approximately 238 years. That is not the record, though, in Wilmington.

The Benjamin Buck home, between Wildwood and Woburn streets, was in one family for 268 years, from 1871 to 1939. When it was finally sold it was found that there was never a deed to the home.

Which brings up another question - was there a deed for the home of Parson Morrill, when it was sold last year - or did one have to be drafted by some attorney? It is a story worth anticipating.

The home of the Rev. Mr. Morrill, to the best of the writer's knowledge, was one of two places in Wilmington at which a mulberry tree was planted, in the days before the Revolution. The other tree is today on the Ellsworth property, off Marjorie Road.

The tree on the Ellsworth property was probably planted by Deacon James Thompson, father or son. And

as a guess the tree on the property on Middlesex Avenue was planted by the Rev. Mr. Morrill.

There was a good reason to plant those trees, over two centuries ago. In fact, in part, there is a good reason today.

There are little flowers in the spring, and those flowers excite the bees. The little six legged creatures extract the pollen, and make a delicious honey. They also fertilize the flowers, while they are at it.

Then the mulberries grow. They look, when ripe, something like raspberries or blackberries, but without the thorn. There is, at least to the writer's memory, a delicious taste.

For some reason people today do not seem to pick mulberries. Instead the ripe berries are allowed to fall to the ground, as they quickly do.

It was not for the berry that the Rev. Mr. Morrill or Deacon Thompson wanted mulberry trees. It was for the leaves that grow on those trees.

In the days of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay men wore breeches that went to the knees, and then had stockings, if they could be afforded. The farmer had homespun stockings. The well-to-do - and those with literary pretensions, such as a minister, a lawyer or a deacon, wore silk stockings.

Silk stockings had to be imported.

They were expensive.

But, the Colonials learned, the silk worm of China, from whence came the silk that went into the stockings, lived on the leaves of the mulberry tree. There was literature extant, which told of how the Chinese women picked those leaves, and fed them to the silk worms.

It seems that the Rev. Mr. Morrill and Deacon James Thompson were trying, if it was they who planted those trees.

Warrant article

deadline is Feb. 22

The Tewksbury Selectmen have established noontime on Friday, Feb. 22 as the deadline for submitting articles for the Annual Town Meeting.

births

HUBBY: Paul Scott, first child to Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Hubby, Jr. on January 16 at Camp Hood Army Base, Coopers Cove, Texas.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jepson of Woburn Street, Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Hubby, Sr. of Gunderson Road. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Jepson of Reading and Mrs. Lillian B. Morrison of Seneca, S.C.

LEPORE: Ryan Nicholas, third child, first son to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond N. Lepore of 90 Parker St., Wilmington on January 10 at Winchester Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Juergens of Glen Road, Wilmington and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lepore of Adams Street.

obituary

Annie M. (Babcock) Williams of Tewksbury, formerly of Melrose died Sunday, January 20.

She was the mother of John Williams of Tewksbury; Robert of Wakefield; Marjorie Duchano of New Hampshire; Marcia Besse of New York and the sister of Evelyn Rosetti of Boston and George Babcock of Boston.

Funeral services were scheduled to be held on Wednesday at 9 a.m. from the Tewksbury Funeral Home

Adam Pagliarulo wins Derby prize

Adam Pagliarulo walked away with first prize in the recent Pinewood Derby held by members of Cub Scout Pack 56, sponsored by the Congregational Church in Wilmington.

Second prize went to Scott Hibbins who was followed by third place winner Donald Silva.

Each Cub made his own racing car

with the help of his father and competed in the race with other pack members.

The track was set up by George Amidon, Stanley Hibbins, Donald Rich and Robert Tarara and the race was conducted by Amidon, Hibbins, St. Onge, Tarara and Bishop.



Guest nurse

Pat Palayma, Tewksbury town nurse was a recent guest speaker at a Lion's Club meeting. She explained many of the health programs and services available at the Lowell Visiting Nurse Association. Shown with Pat are (l.) King Lion Arthur Ferraioli and (r.) Dr. Paul Montminy.

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ASSETS	
Cash and due from depository institutions	4,042
U.S. Treasury securities	1,505
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	980
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	740
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	114
Federal Reserve stock and corporate stock	1
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	3,100
a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	11,794
b. Less: allowance for possible loan losses	102
c. Loans, Net	11,692
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	196
Other assets	311
TOTAL ASSETS	22,681
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	7,369
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	9,235
Deposits of United States Government	38
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2,229
Deposits of commercial banks	22
Certified and officers' checks	365
TOTAL DEPOSITS	19,258
a. (1). Total demand deposits	9,194
a. (2). Total time and savings deposits	10,064
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	565
a. Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury	610
Other liabilities	369
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)	20,802
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Common stock a. No. shares authorized 289,406	
b. No. shares outstanding 289,406 (par value)	723
Surplus	709
Undivided profits	447
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL	1,879
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL	22,681
MEMORANDA	
1. Amounts outstanding as of report date:	
a. (1). Standby letters of credit, total	112
b. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	1,220
2. Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:	
a. Cash and due from depository institutions	3,858
b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	3,525
c. Total loans	11,836
d. Time certificates of deposits in denominations of \$100,000 or more	1,220
e. Total deposits	20,235
f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	368
h. Total assets	23,686
We, the undersigned officer(s) do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. James Boisvert, Treasurer	
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- What do you like the most about the paper?
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- Is there anything you would suggest including or changing?
- Other suggestions or comments.

Credit analyst calls Wilmington "Very good for Massachusetts"

Wilmington's credit rating, she said, is AA minus. Very few communities have a triple A rating. She cited Newton as one town that does. The state, she said, has a rating of A-1. Lynn is a shaky A, and New Bedford is a Baa.

In addition to determining the availability of money for bonding, the credit rating is also a factor in determining the interest rate. The difference in rates is more than a full percentage point, between towns that have a good rating and those that have a poor one.

The analysis at the bank is very similar to Moody's. She said that the bank is more active in the New England area, but that Moody's was more reflective of the economy as a whole.

In assessing the credit rating of a municipality, a lender looks at the overall debt burden of the town, at the

New York and Cleveland made the news in recent years, by going into default. The cities were not able to make the required payments on loans. Saco, Maine is the latest city to go into default.

Wilmington is not in any such precarious position, according to a municipal finance credit analyst. Edith McConville of the First National Bank of Boston spoke to the Wilmington Kiwanis Club last week. She described Wilmington as having a "somewhat balanced credit picture," calling it "very good for a Massachusetts community."

One the plus side for Wilmington, she pointed to Wilmington's industry, and to the fact that in five years, 45 percent of the town's debt will be paid off. On the negative side, since 1975, the collection of taxes in Wilmington has dropped from 97 percent to 93 percent.

financial statements provided by the town, and at the economic viability, of the town. The debt burden would include the town's bonding for long term financing of major construction projects. Wilmington embarked on a large number of such projects during the 1950's and 1960's. Those bonds are gradually being retired, strengthening the credit picture.

Financial statements include a look at how the community performed on its budget. Analysts like to see a free cash surplus, but not over five percent. The state is requiring towns to reduce their free cash surpluses. Other questions would include: What does the town spend its money on? What does the town earn its money from? Taxes, or another source of income? What is the percentage of collection of taxes? People who do not pay their taxes on time hurt a town's credit rating.

A look at a town's economic viability would take into consideration its industry, income levels, as well as other economic and social factors. Is the town dependent on one large industry, or does it have several, and what fields are they in? Manufacturing firms are hit especially hard in a recession.

What happens when a town defaults on its bonds?

The note holder has the right to seize the assets. This means that the checking account for the municipality is frozen. A town in such a position cannot pay its help, and this results in a work stoppage.

Any town could go into default, McConville warned. It could happen out of neglect, from failure to assess the economic situation. People must keep watch over a town's economic standing.

bits & pieces

Girl Scout history

It is hoped that a brief history of Girl Scouting in Wilmington can be included in the 250th Anniversary booklet to be published.

Since the earliest records now available go back only to 1964, the committee in charge is seeking assistance from anyone who may have been involved in Girl Scouting here before that time.

The information sought, need not come from factually kept records, personal memories and old snapshots will be most welcome.

Anyone who can be of assistance is urged to call Mrs. Carol Frost at 658-3673.

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Chamber of Commerce dinner

Attending the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce dinner Saturday night were Selectman Bob Cain, Town Manager Sterling Morris, Representative Jim Miceli, Mrs. Miceli, Senator Bob Buell, Mrs. Buell and Mrs. Cain.

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Saddling up

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Make sure it's tight

Janet Beninati tightens the cinch on the pony's saddle, before taking it out of the barn. Sarah Davidson and Heather Prince are at left.



Taking turns

Mary Durkee prepares to take the pony for a walk. At right are Laura Duden, Heather Prince and Janet Beninati.

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Hold your horses

While Joan Miller tends to the pony, Heather Prince prepares to dismount. In the background is David Eiranova.

Thirteen students in the Project Enterprise program in the Wilmington elementary schools recently completed a course in horsemanship at the McFarland Farm on Andover Street, taught by Joan Miller.

The Project Enterprise program provides extra learning opportunities for bright students. The program involves the use of "mentors" who teach the students in situations outside the classroom.

Besides horsemanship, the program includes instruction in computers, typing, pottery, photography and drafting. A total of 97 students participate.

The students in the horsemanship program were Janet Beninati, Lisa Blaisdell, Laura Duden, Sarah Davidson, Pam Davis, Sheila Duggan, Mary Durkee, David Eiranova, Peggy Lawrence, Kellyann MacLean, Heather Prince, Linda Romanowski and Jennifer St. Onge.

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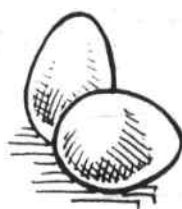


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menus

Tewksbury school lunch menu

Monday: Hot Chicken in Gravy, Fluffy Rice, Vegetable, Hot Roll and Butter, Fruit and Milk.

Tuesday: Homemade Soup with Vegetables, Cheese Melt, Potato Sticks, Midnite Chocolate Cake and Milk.

Wednesday: Chilled Juice, Tuna Salad on a Roll, Crunchy Coleslaw,

Pudding with Whipped Topping and Milk.

Thursday: Homemade Baked Beans with Catsup, Frankfurter in a Roll, Mustard and Relish, Carrot Sticks, Hermit or Cookie and Milk.

Friday: Fisherman's Dinner, French Fries, Catsup, Corn Niblets, Buttered Angel Biscuit, Ice Cream and Milk.

Shawsheen Tech menu

Monday: Beef in Gravy, Whipped Potato, Buttered Corn Niblets, Fresh Baked Buttered Roll, Chilled Fruit in Syrup and Milk - or - Frankfort in a Roll, Baked Beans, French Fries, Condiments, Chilled Fruit in Syrup and Milk.

Tuesday: Breaded Pork Patti, Whipped Potato and Gravy, Buttered Peas, Applesauce, Fresh Baked Buttered Roll, Gelatin with Topping and Milk - or - Hot Sliced Turkey Sandwich with Gravy, French Fries, Buttered Peas, Cranberry Sauce, Gelatin with Topping and Milk.

Wednesday: American Chop Suey, Buttered Green Beans, Fresh Baked

Buttered Roll, Pudding with Topping and Milk - or - Hamburger in a Roll, French Fries, Crisp Garden Salad, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Thursday: Crisp Fish Portion, Whipped Potato, Buttered Carrots, Fresh Baked Buttered Roll, Applesauce Cake and Milk - or - Vegetable Beef Soup, English Muffin Tomato and Cheese Pizza, Buttered Corn Niblets, Applesauce Cake and Milk.

Friday: Bacon Burger with Lettuce and Tomato, French Fries, Crisp Garden Salad, Ice Cream and Milk - or - Tuna Salad Sandwich, French Fries, Crisp Garden Salad, Ice Cream and Milk.

Wilmington school cafeteria menu

All schools
Monday: Tacos, Fluffy Rice, Buttered Green Beans, Scooters and Milk.

Tuesday: Chilled Juice, Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Carrot Nuggets, French Bread and Butter, Peanut Toll House Squares and Milk.

Wednesday: Frankfurt on a Roll, French Fries, Buttered Corn, Pud-

ding with Topping and Milk.

Thursday: Chicken in Gravy with Mashed Potato, Buttered Mixed Vegetable, Cranberry Sauce, Dinner Roll and Butter, Frosted Spice Cake and Milk.

Friday: Crispy Fish Bites, Fluffy Buttered Rice, Beets, Ice Cream or Cookies, Wheat or White Bread and Butter and Milk.

Wilmington Congregational Church

The Rev. Charles Koomruian, interim minister.

Thursday, Jan. 24: 6:30 p.m., Junior High P.F.; 8 p.m., Annual meeting.

Sunday, Jan. 27: 9:15 a.m. Church School, kindergarten through adult; 10 a.m., Confirmation class; 10:30 a.m., Junior Choir; 11 a.m., Worship service, nursery class; 12 noon col-

fee; 6:30 p.m., Senior High P.F.

Monday, Jan. 28: 8 p.m., Prayer and Praise gathering at the home of Diane Fielding, 7 Hopkins St.

Tuesday, Jan. 29: 10 a.m., Visit to Tewksbury Hospital.

Wednesday, Jan. 30: 9:30 a.m., Bible study at the home of Ann Rich, 25 Allen Park Drive; 6:30 p.m., Cadette Girl Scouts; 7 p.m., Senior Choir.

Linda Suprenant to wed David Doucette

Mr. and Mrs. George Suprenant of King Street, Wilmington have announced the engagement of their daughter Linda M. to David W. Doucette, son of Sarah Voles of Canal Street, Wilmington and Eugene Doucette of North Reading.

Linda is a 1977 graduate of Wilmington High School and is now employed as a dietary aide at New England Rehabilitation Hospital.

Her fiancé is self employed in the construction business. An October wedding is planned.

Financial aid to be discussed tonight

Financial aid for college students was discussed at Wilmington High School, Monday, January 7. More than 100 parents gathered to listen to a presentation by the Guidance Department on the various resources available to offset high tuition costs.

Dr. George Eisenberg presented the opening remarks. He emphasized the need for students and parents to be aware of and to adhere to the various deadlines established by colleges for submission of applications. Financial information, course grades and teacher recommendations may be required by some colleges as early as January 15.

Malcolm Jones, guidance counselor, explained the financial aid form (FAF). He stated that "Any and all college students who wish to be considered for aid must fill out an FAF." Because of the emphasis on accuracy in completing the FAF, a follow-up workshop on this form is scheduled for Wednesday evening, January 23 at seven o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

Mr. Jones explained that the ap-

plication process for aid has been simplified this year because the proper filing of the FAF qualifies the applicant to be considered for the Basic Educational Opportunities Grant (BEOG) and the state funded scholarship grants without the need of separate application forms.

Other sources of financial aid from Federal, State and local sources, as well as private scholarships, were discussed. The use of the Massachusetts Occupational Information System (MOIS) was explained as a means of assessing financial needs and locating sources of aid. The MOIS is a computer located in the Occupational Education Office at the high school, and it is available for use by both parents and students.

In addition to the second workshop scheduled for January 23, parents or students who wished additional information were reminded that financial aid information, as well as assistance in filing college applications, is available in the high school guidance office (658-7108).

Michael Simmons promoted by American Mutual

Michael J. Simmons, of 30 Allen Park Drive, Wilmington has been named manager of sales administration for the American Mutual Insurance Companies, Wakefield.

Simmons joined American Mutual in 1964 as systems machine programmer in the home office computer department. He worked there for over 14 years as manual

systems analyst, computer systems analyst, and senior systems analyst.

In 1976, he was named to the home office field services department as director of personnel development and systems coordinator.

Mr. Simmons' wife, Rosemarie, also works for American Mutual. She is an underwriter in the group accident and health department.

Alcohol Awareness poster contest

Wilmington students are eligible to enter a poster contest on a theme of "alcohol awareness." Sponsored by the Mystic Valley Mental Health Center and Friendly Ice Cream Corporation, the contest is being held to help recognize January as Alcohol Awareness Month in Massachusetts.

Any student enrolled in grades five through 12 and attending school in Arlington, Burlington, Lexington, Wilmington, Winchester or Woburn is eligible to enter the contest and win a cash prize. There will be two contest categories - Junior and Senior - with a first prize of \$75 and a second prize of \$50 in each category.

Coordinator of the contest is Lee Laven, coordinator of Alcoholism Services for Mystic Valley Mental Health Center. Ms. Laven works with several junior and senior high schools

in the six-town Mystic Valley area administering alcohol awareness programs.

Contest rules and entry forms are being distributed at all junior and senior high schools in the area, and they can also be obtained by contacting the Woburn Branch of the Mystic Valley Mental Health Center at 935-8150. The deadline for submitting posters is 4 p.m. Wednesday, February 6.

Students entering the contest will receive a list of possible Alcohol Awareness themes to choose from and helpful suggestions on preparing a poster. A panel of experts in the fields of art, alcoholism and education will select the winning posters.

For further information on the contest, contact Lee Laven at 935-8150.

Tewksbury has snow fences

Tewksbury, this winter, has fences to prevent the drifting of snow across highways.

Fences have been put up at Chandler Street, in the vicinity of Sheehan's Construction, East Street near the old silo pit, Livingston Street

northerly of Saunders Circle, Lowe Street at the corner of Shawsheen Street, Pinnacle Street in the vicinity of the state fields, and Maple Street, between the intersection and the state chicken farm.

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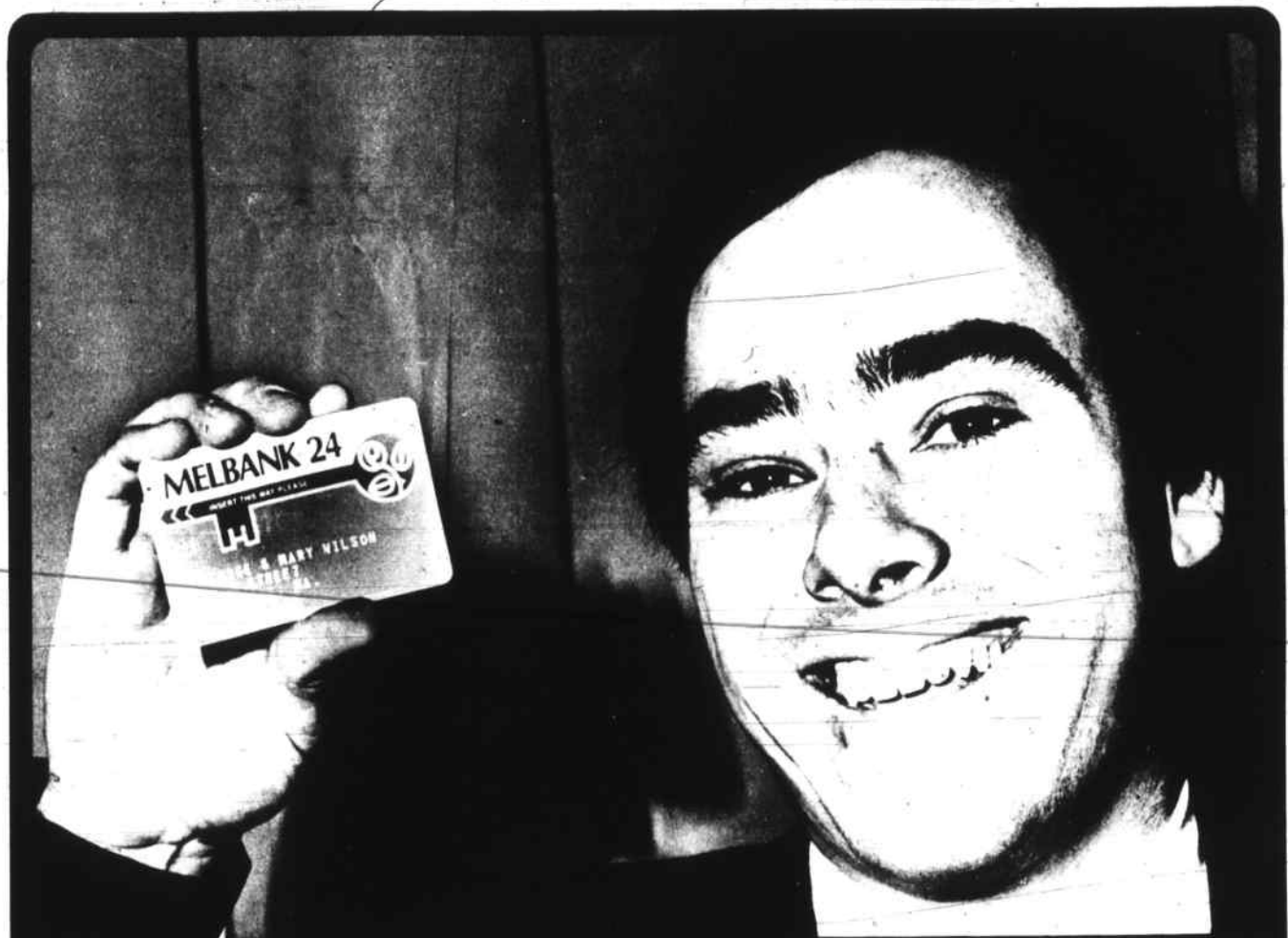


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Wilmington police news

This week's log shows that arrests increased and reported crimes declined. There were ten criminal arrests, five protective custody detentions, only nine larcenies and three burglaries. Cruisers responded to 27 false burglar alarms in schools and commercial buildings. Ten motor vehicle accidents were investigated along with six disturbances. Malicious damage and vandalism complaints numbered 12 along with 10 reported suspicious incidents. Two vehicles were stolen during the week.

Other calls included transporting people for both medical and psychiatric assistance, checking homes and buildings for open doors, calming domestic problems and looking for missing teenagers.

Tip of the week: Those who possess silver or gold certainly know prices have gone out of sight. It has become more profitable for the thief or burglar to steal property. Take the time to secure your precious metals either at home or in a bank.

Arrests

At midnight on Wednesday, David P. Komenchuk of Swain Road was arrested by Wilmington officers and Groton Detectives Morse and Balonis with an arrest warrant for a break and entry in Groton. He was turned

over to Groton for an appearance in Ayer Court.

James Clifford of Bond Street was arrested by Sgt. Rooney and Officer Venuti at 3:20 a.m. on Wednesday. Clifford was arrested on a warrant from Woburn Court.

Two juvenile males were arrested by Officers Celata and Spencer Thursday evening. They were charged with breaking into the Buzzell School that same evening. Officers report additional complaints will be sought.

Sunday at 11:45 p.m., Jay Sciascia of Highland Street, Woburn was arrested by Sgt. Larivee for operating under the influence after an investigation of an accident on Main Street near the Avco entrance. A utility pole was knocked down and Reading Municipal Light Co. had to be called to the scene to restore power.

Three men were arrested at 12:30 a.m. on Sunday after an investigation of a break at Market Forge on Industrial Way. Officer Robert Spencer, with the assistance of Woburn Police arrested Steven Delrue of Cutting Avenue, Woburn; Mark Hiott of Cook Avenue, Wilmington and Arthur Sullivan of Border Avenue. All three were charged with breaking and entering in the nighttime, larceny

of over \$100, possession of burglarious tools and causing injury to property.

Lawrence Kovitch of Swain Court was arrested at 3:35 a.m. on Monday by Sgt. Palmer. Kovitch was charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs (marijuana), operating an unregistered, uninsured vehicle and failing to keep to the right.

Monday evening John Clifford of Bond Street was arrested on a default warrant from Lowell Court by Sgt. LaRivee and Insp. Cuoco. He was turned over to Lowell police for a court appearance.

Stolen vehicles

Paul McGrath of Carolyn Road reported his 1976 Ford pickup stolen from his front yard sometime during the night. McGrath made his report at 6:45 a.m. Wednesday.

At 6:45 a.m., Tuesday, Fred Miller of Pleasant Street reported his 1969 Dodge station wagon stolen from his yard sometime during the night. Another neighbor reported someone had tried to take their car, but failed to start it.

Malicious damage

Monday morning drivers for Trombly Motor Coach found seven windows smashed in one of the buses parked at the old Weinberg's store location.



P.R.D. discussion

The Wilmington Planning Board last week, during the discussion of Planned Residential Development, listened as zoning consultant Kevin Hurley, center, spoke.

From left: Lou Maglio, Ken Miller, Bill Hooper, Kevin Hurley, Chairman John DeRoy, Arnold Blake and Sandra Murphy, clerk.

Wilmington senior topics

Fuel assistance

Fuel assistance applications are available at the Drop-in Center for Elderly persons 60 years of age and older. Qualifications are income of \$4250 for a household of one and \$5625 for a household of two. Please take a photostat of your income and your latest oil fill-up slip to the center when applying. If you are on S.S.I. a photostat of your Medicaid Card will be sufficient.

Whist party

The second whist party of January will be held at the Drop-in Center, Monday, January 28 beginning at 1:30 p.m. The arts and crafts committee worked hard, accumulating prizes and setting up these parties. Senior participation makes it all worth while.

No tour booking

The Council on Aging does not book tours through the coordinator's office. We do display brochures at the center. Those who are interested in taking one of the trips can pick up the brochure at the Center.

Trip to Lincoln, N.H.

Frances Callendrello is taking reservations for a trip to Lincoln, N.H., April 27, 28 and 29. Those who would like more information may call Frances at 658-8805.

Social Security

A recent proposal by the Federal Government Advisory Council on Social Security would mean that half a persons Social Security check would be taxes. The Legislation which will soon be debated in Congress would roughly effect 10 million households in the United States.

As a senior citizens, you should be sending letters to your political representatives in Washington to

prevent this from happening. Their addresses are:

Senator Edward M. Kennedy; 2400 J.F.K. Federal Bldg., Boston.
Senator Paul E. Tsongas; 2003 F J.F.K. Federal Bldg., Boston, Mass.
Rep. Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., 2200A J.F.K. Federal Bldg., Boston, Mass.
Rep. James Shannon; 226 Cannon Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20515.

Census help

The Department of Elderly Affairs is looking for any active senior who is interested and expects to be available for enumeration or other clerical positions for the Census Bureau, primarily from mid April to late May. They could apply in writing, giving skills such as light clerical or office experience. Send name, address and telephone number to Leo J. Kearns, Regional Census Manager, 441 Stuart

St. (11th floor), Boston, Mass. 02117.

Share a home

Many elderly persons in Wilmington are having difficulty maintaining their homes, due to the increased cost of fuel and other necessities. A new program has been initiated through the Minuteman Home Care Corp. as an alternate to giving up a private home. That program is called "Share a Home."

For those unfamiliar with this program, it matches older people looking for housing or waiting for acceptance into elderly housing, with a home owner who is seeking another person to live with them. Home sharing enables both parties to significantly reduce their expenses, and it provides companionship to those living alone. Anyone interested in this program should call the center at 657-7595.

Minuteman Home Care menu

Served at Burlington Senior Citizens Friendship Center, 45 Center St., Burlington. Nutrition aid is Kay Cavanaugh. Call 272-9552 for reservations.

North Woburn-Wilmington at North Congregational Church, 896 Main St., Woburn where site manager is Louise Nunziato. Call 933-8643 for reservations.

Reservations must be made by 11 a.m. the day before planned participation. Menus are subject to change without notice. Transportation is available, especially for handicapped people.

Monday: Vegetable Soup, Crackers, Baked Chicken, Mushroom Sauce, Italian Green Beans, Noodles, Wheat Bread, Appricots.

Tuesday: Shells, Meat Sauce, Grated Cheese, Tossed Salad, Italian Dressing, Italian Bread, Apple Turnover.

Wednesday: Batter Dipped Fish, Stewed Tomatoes, Brown Bread, Baked Beans, Tartar Sauce, Pineapple.

Thursday: Pot Roast, Gravy, Broccoli Cuts, Mashed Potatoes, Rye Bread, Peanut Butter Whip.

Friday: Tomato Soup, Turkey A-la King, Mixed Vegetables, Rice, French Bread, Fresh Orange Section.

Iowa Caucus predictable

Monday's Caucus, in Iowa, might have been repeated in Wilmington. During the past few weeks the publisher has talked with a few persons, and only two candidates who led in the Iowa voting have been mentioned.

Democrats said they were voting Carter, and Republicans said they were voting for George Bush. No other candidate was named.

Three Democrats, though, named George Bush.

Admittedly, it was an unscientific poll. No one was asked questions. The total tabulation results merely from volunteered information, from less than two dozen individuals.

Steve Blonigen in Guam

Airman Steve Blonigen, of Broad Street, Wilmington has arrived in Guam. He is to serve as a security policeman, at an Air Base in Guam.



The Wilmington Town Hall annex was busy last Thursday. One of the discussions before the conservation commission was the latest plan for new homes on a small hill off Federal Street.

Erich Nitschke, of North Reading, engineer, is shown with his hydraulic plans, which he discussed with neighbors and others for several hours. The concomm made no decision, but did vote to try to hire a hydraulic engineer to advise them.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS LAND COURT

(SEAL) Case No. 9706

To whom it may concern, and to Hilda A. Hilder, formerly of North Easton, Bristol County, and Brockton, Plymouth County, said Commonwealth, present whereabouts unknown; her heirs, devisees, or legal representatives. Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by William A. LeBoeuf and Donna D. LeBoeuf, both of Wilmington, Middlesex County, said Commonwealth, to establish their title under a low value deed, under the provisions of G.L. (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 80, Section 80-B, running to Adolph A. Brand, by instrument dated March 26, 1923, and recorded in the Middlesex (North District) Registry of Deeds, in Book 780, Page 597; that the petitioners now hold their title under deed from Firth et ux dated April 26, 1979, and duly recorded with said Registry of Deeds, in Book 2360, Page 734, and to require you to show cause why you should not bring action to try any claim or claims which you may have adverse to the petitioners' title arising out of the tax proceedings under which the petitioners' title is based.

Said petition covers a parcel of land in said Town of Wilmington, bounded and described as follows: A certain parcel of land being lots numbered 291 to 294 inclusive on a plan known as Wilmington Gardens and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds which plan is referred to for a more particular description, containing 42,800 square feet. If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston, (at the Court House) or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell on or before the 18th day of February next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or from having or enforcing any claim or claims adverse to the petitioners, their heirs or assigns, in the above described land.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Town Crier a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 23rd day of January 1980.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

JEANNE M. MALONEY

DEPUTY RECORDER

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



INVITATION FOR BIDS OIL TANK REPLACEMENT STATE AIDED HOUSING PROJECT, 667-1 WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

The Wilmington Housing Authority will receive sealed bids for Two (2) new Oil Tanks at the State Aided Housing Project, 667-1, Wilmington, Massachusetts, until 8:00 P.M. current time, Monday, February 11, 1980, at the office of the Wilmington Housing Authority, 41 Deming Way, Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887. At this time all Bids will be opened and read.

All Bids must conform with provisions of law, including, without limitation, Sections 39F and 39K through 39P of Chapter 30 and Sections 29 and 44A to 44L, inclusive, of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents, including amendments and the instructions to bidders.

Instructions to Bidders and Contract Documents, including plans and specifications, are on file at the office of the Wilmington Housing Authority, 41 Deming Way, Wilmington, Massachusetts, 01887, and will be available after 12:00 Noon, Friday, January 25, 1980. Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars in the form of a certified treasurer's or cashier's check payable to the Wilmington Housing Authority, with the Authority, for each set of documents so obtained. The amount of the deposit will be refunded to the bidder who returns all documents in good condition within ten (10) days after the opening of bids, to the same office indicated above.

Each Bid must be accompanied by a bid security in the form of a bid bond, issued by a responsible surety company licensed to do business in Massachusetts, or by certified, treasurer's or cashier's check made payable to the Wilmington Housing Authority and issued by a responsible bank or trust company, or cash, as follows:
By General Bidder \$400.00
No other form of Bid security will be accepted.

Attention is called to the following:

A. Requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wages to be paid under this Contract as established under applicable law.

B. Provisions of Chapter 14, Acts of 1966 (imposing a temporary retail sales tax), Section 1, sub-section 6 (d) and (k), exempting the Authority from the operation of such chapter.

C. Equal Employment Opportunity Regulations in the General Conditions.

D. Requirements to furnish a Performance Bond and a Labor and Materials Bond, as set forth elsewhere in the Specifications.

The Wilmington Housing Authority reserves the right to review bids for thirty (30) days to confirm and investigate the qualifications of the Bidders, and further reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities in bidding, if it be in the public interest to do so and if such rejection or waiver be in accordance with Sections 44-A to 44-L inclusive, as amended, of Chapter 149 of the General Laws.

No bid of a General Bidder shall be withdrawn prior to thirty (30) days, Saturdays, Sundays and Legal Holidays excluded, from the award of the Contract to the Contractor, without consent of the Wilmington Housing Authority.

WILMINGTON HOUSING AUTHORITY

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DATE: JANUARY 21, 1980

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON



OFFICIAL MAP

Case S-1-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, on February 12, 1980, at 7:30 P.M., on the application of Charles M. Steeves, 3 Edwards Road, Wilmington, to construct a single family dwelling on land owned by Barbara A. Connolly. (Shown on Assessors' Map 8 Parcel 21) and not shown on the Official Map (G.L. ch. 41, S. 81E) on a way known as Baldwin Road.

Bruce MacDonald, Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Middlesex vs. No. 124672

Deborah D. Ambarik Plaintiff

vs. Order of Service by Publication

John J. Ambarik Defendant

Upon motion of plaintiff for an order directing John J. Ambarik the defendant herein to appear, plead or answer, in accordance with Supplemental Rule 407 of the Probate Courts, it appearing to the Court that this is an action contempt for separate support and maintenance and allowance for minor children that the said John J. Ambarik cannot be found within the Commonwealth and that his present whereabouts are unknown, that personal service on said defendant is therefore not practicable, and that said defendant has not voluntarily appeared in this action: it is

Ordered that said John J. Ambarik is directed to appear, plead, answer or otherwise move with respect to the complaint herein on or before the twenty-fifth day of February 1980, or in default thereof this Court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this suit.

Ordered that the accompanying summons be published in the Town Crier of Wilmington in said Middlesex County once a week for three consecutive weeks beginning January 10, 1980, and if it further Ordered that a copy of the summons be mailed to the defendant at his last known address by registered or certified mail.

Date December 28, 1979

Edward T. Martin

Judge of Probate

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON MASSACHUSETTS



INVITATION TO BID REDEVELOPMENT, SURGING AND CHEMICAL TREATMENT OF GRAVEL-PACKED WELL

Sealed bids for redevelopment, surging and chemical treatment of the Salem Street gravel-packed well will be received at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Mass. 01887, until 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 24, 1980, where and when they will be publicly opened and read. Detailed information may be obtained at the office of the Town Manager.

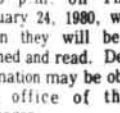
The Town reserves the right to reject any bid or all bids or any part(s) thereof deemed not to be in the best interest of the Town of Wilmington.

Sterling C. Morris

Town Manager

J16.23

TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF SELECTMEN PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with the Revised 16 of Chapter 3 of the Revised By-Laws of the Inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington, the Board of Selectmen hereby give notice of their intention to sell and convey Town-owned land situated on Faulkner Road, said parcel acquired by Low Value possession, to an abutting owner on Monday, January 28, 1980, at 8:30 p.m. at the Town Hall. The parcel to be sold is shown on Assessors' Map 55 as Parcel 95, to which reference is made for a more particular description.

Rocco V. DePasquale,

Chairman

Board of Selectmen

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON



BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 2-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of Arthur Drew, 47 Houghton Road, to acquire a variance from Section V-1 (Schedule of requirements) authorizing the construction of a dwelling on a lot having insufficient frontage and depth. (Assessors' Map 33 Parcel 31)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 3-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of Dominic Corrella, 23 Washington Avenue, to acquire a variance from Section V-1 (Schedule of requirements) to subdivide a lot into two non-conforming lots each having insufficient frontage and depth with a common right of way, property located on Clark Terrace. (Assessors' Map 43 Parcels 33A & 38)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 4-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of James Chin, 10 Larch Road, Waban, Ma., to obtain a special permit pursuant to Section III-6-B authorizing a building permit for a single family residential dwelling on a lot located within a Flood Plain District for property located on Adams Street. (Assessors' Map 50 Parcel 3)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 4-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of Bernard Grodzinsky, 151 Lexington Avenue, Manchester, N.H., to acquire a special permit in accordance with section III-1-B.5 authorizing additional sign area, for property located at 581 Main Street. (Assessors' Map 41 Parcel 138C)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

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BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 7-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of Edward S. Anderson, 18R Pinewood Road, to acquire a variance from Section IV-1 (Street Frontage for dwellings) and Section V-1 (Schedule of Requirements)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

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Wilmington seniors' menu

Monday: Lamb Stew with Potato and Vegetable, Corn Bread, Pudding with Topping and Milk.

Tuesday: Chilled Juice, Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Carrot Nuggets, French Bread and Butter, Peanut Toll House Squares and Milk.

Wednesday: Braided Pork Steak, Creamy Mashed Potato, Mixed Vegetable, Applesauce, Jello with

Topping and Milk.

Thursday: Chicken in Gravy with Mashed Potato, Buttered Mixed Vegetable, Cranberry Sauce, Dinner Roll and Butter, Frosted Spice Cake and Milk.

Friday: Crispy Fish Bites, Fluffy Buttered Rice, Beets, Ice Cream or Cookies and Milk.

F.M., on the application of Robert K. & Shirley Jackson, Jr., 55 Cunningham Street, to acquire a special permit authorizing the extension of a non-conforming building (too close to the lot line). (Assessors' Map 69 Parcel 31)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 6-80

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 342 Middlesex Avenue, on February 12, 1980, at 7:00 P.M., on the application of John O. & Ruth M. Webb, Jr., 12 Englehurst Road, Medford, Ma., to acquire a variance from Section V-1 (Schedule of Requirements) to allow an existing dwelling to remain within required reserve yards, for property located at 232 Shawshoek Avenue. (Assessors' Map 21 Parcel 3C)

Bruce MacDonald

Chairman

J23.30 Board of Appeals

BOARD OF APPEALS

Case 9-80

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Town Crier Sports

It was a Tewksbury vs. Wilmington week



The swarm

A host of Tewksbury and Wilmington players go for a rebound in MVC girls basketball action Tuesday. From left, Susan Farr, Megan Donnelly (22), Margaret Mooney (24), Diane Doyle (31), Sheila Coleman and Pat O'Reilly (32). Wilmington topped Tewksbury, 61-50. See story below.

MVC girls basketball

Wilmington clips Tewksbury

A pair of red-hot MVC girls basketball teams hooked up Tuesday night and it was Wilmington emerging with the game locked away in the win column as coach Tom Beaton's girls clipped first place

Tewksbury 61-50 at the WHS gym. Wilmington's Susan Rowe led all scorers with 22 points followed by Tewksbury players Sheila Coleman and Jerrie Bernier with 13 and 10 points respectively.

Megan Donnelly chipped in with 13 points for the winners, with a pair of three point plays helping to break

Girls page 12

This Week in the MVHL

Wildcats pounce on Redmen, Cougars, hang tough in title fight



Tied up

Tewksbury's Andy DeVita (24) scores the tying goal early in the final period Wednesday night as his shot eludes WHS goalie Rick Ballou. Wilmington came back with two quick goals in a 4-3 win. See story below.

It was a banner week for the Wilmington High School hockey team as coach Bill Cullen's scrappy crew stayed in the thick of the MVHL race with a 5-3 upset of second place Austin Prep Saturday that came off a rugged 4-3 tipping of the Tewksbury Redmen last Wednesday night at the Billerica Forum.

A summary of last week's MVHL action.

Wildcats 5-Austin Prep 3

The Wildcats, who had outplayed Austin in an earlier 2-1 loss, started slowly, falling behind 3-0 at the 6:27 mark of the first period.

That start was a shaky omen for the Cats, who had fallen behind quickly 2-0 in their first tough loss to the Cougars.

Wilmington resident Rich Robinson was a vital part of Austin's early surge Saturday, scoring his ninth goal at 1:27 of the first period.

Austin scored two more goals before WHS junior goalie Rick Ballou, regarded as the league's top net-minder, played that role to perfection with several brilliant saves that prevented the game from getting out of hand early.

The Cats began to climb back in the middle period with two goals as wing Jim Burns fired up the attack with his eighth and ninth goals of the season.

Wilmington took the lead for good in the third period when Captain Tim McCann and Paul Boudreau scored goals just 10 seconds apart after the Wildcats had killed a penalty to start the period.

McCann scored on the powerplay and he later notched the insurance goal with 4:48 left in the game. The Cougars pulled goalie Matt DePasquale with 40 seconds left to play, but the Wildcats already had assured themselves of yet another impressive win.

Wildcats 4-Redmen 3

In this week of action pitting Wilmington and Tewksbury High School teams against each other, the Wildcats took the first round with a win in this rugged, wide open game played before a vocal Wednesday night crowd at the Billerica Forum.

Wilmington took home the win when McCann and Burns scored goals 55 seconds apart in the third period to wipe out a Tewksbury comeback effort.

Senior Andy DeVita had given the Redmen a 2-2 tie at 0:51 of the final period before the Wilmington outburst. Joe Cappello scored his first goal of the season with 25 seconds left to account for the 4-3 final.

Dennis Foley gave WHS a 1-0 first period lead at 2:40 and McCann upped the count to 2-0 in the second period before TMHS senior Bob Dascoli scored his 10th goal of the season late in a Redmen powerplay.

DeVita passed out two assists for Tewksbury while Dave Ballou and Mark Boudreau had the Wildcat helpers.

In other MVHL action last week the Redmen coasted past Andover, 6-0.

Leading scorers

G.A.Pts
Visone, Austin Prep 15 12 27
Popp, Chelmsford 11 16 27
Dascoli, Tewksbury 11 13 24
McGuire, Chelmsford 8 13 21
Borke, Chelmsford 7 14 21
Dornan, Billerica 10 10 20
Burns, Wilmington 9 11 29
McCann, Wilmington 13 5 18
Dascoli, Tewksbury 7 11 18
DeVita, Tewksbury 6 12 18

Merrimack Valley Hockey League Results Saturday

Wilmington 5, Austin Prep 3
Chelmsford 9, Lawrence 1
Billerica 4, Dracut 1
Tewksbury 6, Andover 0
Methuen 1, Lawrence Central 0

W.L.T.P.F.A

Chelmsford 9 0 0 16 66 8
Austin Prep 8 1 0 16 66 12
Wilmington 7 2 1 15 51 26
Billerica 6 3 1 13 55 25
Tewksbury 6 3 1 13 53 26
Methuen 5 4 1 11 27 29
Lawrence Central 3 7 0 6 41 43
Andover 2 8 0 4 26 55
Lawrence 0 9 0 0 6 87
Dracut 0 9 0 0 4 84

Games Wednesday, Jan. 23

Austin Prep vs Tewksbury, (4:10 p.m., Billerica Forum)
Andover vs Dracut (6 p.m., Forum)
Chelmsford at Methuen (7 p.m., Methuen High)

Lawrence at Billerica (8 p.m., Hallenborg Pavillion)

Game Thursday, Jan. 24

Wilmington at Lawrence Central (3 p.m., Merrimack College)

Wilmington speed skater

Linda heads for Nationals

The area's top speed skater is hitting the road again, this time on a journey to St. Paul, Minnesota to participate in the National Outdoor Speed Skating contest this weekend.

Thirteen-year-old Linda Barry, daughter of Joe Barry of 12 Ward Street, Tewksbury, leaves Friday (Jan. 25) for the Minnesota competition.

Linda is no stranger to these competitions, having competed in and won several speed skating titles at various distances.

Linda is currently the Eastern States Outdoor champ, Juvenile Division.

lead into halftime.

Redmen 55-Lawrence Central Catholic 49

Tewksbury may have started slow, but of late the Redmen have been parlaying timely offense with gritty defense and it paid off again Friday night at home as the locals evened their overall record at 5-5.

The Redmen managed to survive a rash of turnovers and missed layups thanks to the combined efforts of senior guards Ron Wallace and McNamara.

MVC scoring leader McNamara pumped in 25 points while Wallace added 11 as the Redmen led 25-22 at the half and just 40-38 after three stanzas.

Senior forward Foley finished with 11 points and played a rugged game around both backboards as did his senior running mate Rockwell.

Leading scorers

G.Pts.Avg
J. McNamara, Tewksbury 10 228 22.8
Rob McCowan, Chelmsford 10 171 17.1
Vin Titone, Methuen 11 152 15.8
Andy Dagle, Billerica 12 186 15.5
Todd Orlando, Andover 11 162 14.7
Ed Higgins, Chelmsford 11 155 14.1

MVC boys basketball

League Overall

	W-L	W-L
Andover	8-0	11-0
Chelmsford	6-2	7-4
Methuen	6-2	8-3
Billerica	5-2	8-4
Tewksbury	4-4	5-5
Central Catholic	3-5	3-7
Lawrence	3-5	4-7
Wilmington	2-6	3-7
Austin Prep	1-7	1-9
Dracut	1-7	2-9

Rec League volunteers

The Tewksbury Recreation Basketball League is in need of volunteers for the Friday night boys leagues and Saturday afternoon girls league. Referees, scorekeepers and timekeepers are needed in order for the program to function smoothly.

Over 400 boys and girls are enrolled in the program. Anyone who can assist in the program please call Ed Blades at 851-9018.



Reason to celebrate

Tewksbury players Andy DeVita (24), Don O'Brien (4) and Bob Dascoli celebrate DeVita's goal that tied game.

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Wilmington Recreation basketball

Vultures pop Condors, 8-5



Running righthander Wilmington High's Marianne Campbell (13) tosses up a shot around the defense of Tewksbury's Joanne Callahan in Tuesday's 61-30 WHS win.

Squirt boys
Vultures 8-Condors 5
 Jeff LaBossiere (7) helped the Vultures triumph over the Condors. Roger Skilling and Ray Mercuri had a basket apiece for the losing team.

Falcons 12-Crows 7
 The Falcons, behind Kevin Ouellette (4) and Joe Scozzaro (4) defeated the Crows. Dave Natoli (4) and Chris Allan (2) couldn't quite push the Crows to the win.

Owls 21-Pelicans 14
 The Owls' Mike Lombard (12) and Bob Meuse (4) ousted the Pelicans. Jim Pelletier (8) and Bob DeSantis (4) paced the losers.

Eagles 24-Gulls 14
 Eric Braciska (10), Joe Magliozzi (6), and Matt Parr (4) allowed the Eagles to top the Gulls. Brian Dussault (6) and Jamie Bruno (4) led the way for the Gulls.

Falcons 20-Hawks 15
 Kevin Ouellette (10), Dan Woods (4) and Bob LaBossiere (4) along with a solid effort by John McNally gave the Falcons the win. Mark Eddy had 11, Charles Boudreau and Mike Robichaud each had a pair for the Hawks.

Squirt girls
Robins 9-Doves 7
 Amy Hamilton (4), Joan Johnson (3) and Maureen Robinson (2) helped the Robins outlast the Doves. Nancyne Sullivan (4) and Lauren Scalesse (2) played well for the Doves.

Wrens 31-Larks 10
 Leigh Ann Hastings (13), Karen Anderson (9) and Melissa Jamieson (14) catapulted the Wrens over the Larks. Heather Cram, Michelle Caizzi (four each) and Nicole Prestice did a great job in the losing effort.

Robins 18-Jays 4
 Joan Johnson (10) and Maureen Robinson (4) managed to stifle the

Jays. Jody Baptise and Julie Eiravova had a hoop apiece for the Jays.

Junior Boys National
Lions 7-Elks 13
 Dave Needham had five points as the Lions clawed their way over the Elks. Mike Liggeiro (6) played a fine game for the Elks.

Beavers 53-Tigers 19
 Steve Revelas (17), Billy O'Donnell (10) and Joey Mavella played super games for the Beavers. T. Lewis (5), D. Gardner and Pete Holman had solid games for the losers.

Seals 20-Bulls 15
 David Elliot and Keith Dunnett pumped in eight points apiece to slip by the Bulls. Tom O'Reilly (9) and Ed Shelly (4) hustled in the losing cause.

Junior Boys American
Pats 37-Chiefs 18
 The Pats were led by a host of scorers - George Hanna (12), Mike Woods (6), Mike Buckley, Steve Caizzi and Bill Poerick were all members of the hit parade. Paul Bossi (8) and David Boudreau (3) were standouts in defeat.

Junior Boys National
Colts 30-Bears 28
 Paul Caizzi pumped in 22 points as the Colts snuck past the Bears. Eric Johnson and Sean Brennan had eight apiece in the losing effort.

Broncos 23-Cougars 6
 Ken Ferrari (9), John McLaughlin (2), Charlie Naimo, and the rest of the Broncos dominated this game. Sean Sullivan, Sean Bell, and Steve Tilton each had a bucket for the Cougars.

Junior Girls American
Foxes 26-Pandas 16
 The Foxes, behind Nancy Woods (10), Patty Robson (6), and Gail Lombard (4), handed the Pandas their first loss of the season. Linda Nistico (5), with three points each

from Lisa Baldassari, Laure Bower and Denise Foley, led the Pandas.

Minks 33-Deers 25
 Joan Sullivan (10), Cheryl Evans (8) and Sharon Boudreau (6) paced the winners. Sandra Crowley had 10 and Janet Crowley six for the Deers.

Junior Boys American
Bills 38-Jets 20
 Jim Newhouse (8) and Fran Win-

nett (6) along with a handful each by Joe Biondo and Ralph Newhouse, gave the Bills the win.

A half dozen apiece for Paul Brady and Billy Woods combined with five from Sean O'Brien wasn't enough for the Jets.



Drive short circuited Junior Tewksbury guard Nancy Barbour has this drive cut short by Wilmington defender Susan Rowe.

Frosh stretch streak

The Tewksbury freshmen girls' basketball team won two more games last week to stretch their record to 8-0.

Tuesday Tewksbury defeated a determined and talented Dracut team 37-33 at the Junior High. Tewksbury had a 21-13 lead at the half, but Dracut came up with 11 unanswered points in the third quarter to take a 24-21 lead. The lead shifted back and forth until late in the game when Tewksbury finally took control.

Tri-captains Robin Riddle, Sue Rheault and Mary Hill led the Red-

men attack with nine points each. Rosalie Troila chipped in with six important second half points and Maria Catalano had four.

Friday Tewksbury traveled to Bishop Fenwick and easily defeated the Fenwick frosh 39-23 as nine Redmen cracked the scoring column.

Mary Hill again led the offense with 10 points. Robin Riddle and Sue Rheault had six points and Jackie Naumnik and Rosalie Triola each had four.

Girls from page 11

Tewksbury. Diane Doyle also played well for Wilmington, snaring a big rebound late in the game.

Tewksbury 47 Bishop Fenwick 45
 Tewksbury High School sophomore Patty Murphy continued to run rings around local girls basketball defenders as the smooth shooting guard swished 16 points to lead her team to a 47-45 upset of Bishop Fenwick in non-league action Friday.

Wilmington 54 Dracut 47
 Wilmington stayed hot in MVC action with senior Susan Rowe netting 22 points to pace her team to a 54-47 win over Dracut.

Soph center Jerrie Bernier was again strong inside with seven points and 14 rebounds. Her free throw in the final seconds helped put the game away for Tewksbury.

Seniors Joanne Callahan, Sheula Coleman and junior guard Nancy

Barbour all played well for the winners who improved their overall record to 8-3, 5-1 in the MVC.

Wilmington 54-Dracut 47
 Pat O'Reilly aided the WHS cause with 10 points and Judy Johnson was right behind with seven points as Wilmington stayed in the thick of the fight for an Eastern Mass Tournament berth.

	G.	Pts.	Avg
N. Rochefort, Methuen	4	94	23.5
Susan Rowe, Wilmington	4	76	19.0
Nancy Szostak, Methuen	3	55	18.3
Andella Jackson, Dracut	4	68	17.0
Jerrie Bernier, Tewksbury	5	77	15.4
Patty Murphy, Tewksbury	5	66	13.2
Sue Messersmith, Andover	5	63	12.6
Jean Buckley, Chelmsford	2	25	

Coaches meeting

There will be a Tewksbury Youth Soccer coaches meeting on Thursday, January 24 at the Junior High School library at 7 p.m. At this meeting a clinic will be held on first aid for all

those participating in the program. Coaches are also reminded that all team rosters should be finalized so that uniforms can be ordered for the upcoming season.



Wildcat sandwiched Wildcat center Chris Nolan (32) is defended by Redmen John McNamara (22) and Jim Galvin (42). Redmen rolled 77-51. Sejstory page 11.

Wilmington Rec coming events

The Wilmington Recreation Basketball League will have two teams from the American Conference of the Junior Division playing an exhibition game this Friday, January 25 at halftime of the high school varsity game.

The two WRBL teams playing are the Bills, coached by Ralph Newhouse, and the Jets coached by Harry Cunningham.

Tuesday, January 29 the WRBL will have another exhibition game during

Bills, Jets in Friday night spotlight

halftime of the high school varsity game. That night two Junior girls teams will play the Pandas, coached by Sue Rowe, and the Foxes, coached by Charles Baker.

The third instructional basketball clinic for girls ages nine and 10 is scheduled for Saturday, January 26.

This clinic is free of charge and will take place in the high school gym from noon to 1 p.m.

Scuba classes
 Scuba classes for those ages 14 and over are being offered by the Wilmington Recreation Department. Classes will be held on Sunday afternoons for six weeks at the Shawsheen Tech pool.

Teaching the course, which will begin in late February or early March, will be certified National Scuba Instructors.

The basic cost for the course will be \$90 and it will consist of nine classroom hours, nine pool hours and three open water dives.

Participants are urged to purchase their own mask, fins, snorkel and weight belt.

If interested, call the Recreation Office at 658-6512.

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Wilmington Adult Hockey

Cain's dumps Bulldogs

In Wilmington Adult Hockey League action last week Cains nipped the Bulldogs 4-2 and Leo's got by Tri-Town 4-3 in games played Sunday night at the WYIA.

Last Wednesday night Cains topped Leo's 7-4 and Tri-Town posted a 5-3 win over Taz.

A summary of last week's action.

Cain's 4-Bulldogs 2

The Bulldogs have been playing well of late, but they didn't have quite enough to get buy Cain's who got two goals from Tom Costello and one apiece from Andy Costello and Cushing.

Jerry Pesaturo and John Haggerty pocketed the Bulldog lamp-lighters. Wally Newell had two assists for the winners with single helpers going to Esposito and Andy Costello. Bob Coste and Gary Simpson had the Bulldog helpers.

Leo's 4-Tri-Town 3

Steve Dunlevy scored twice for the winners and assisted on Dave Bucknam's winning goal at 2:02 of the third period. Walsh had tied the score at 3-3 with his goal at 2:36 of the final stanza with Burns assisting. Burns passed out two assists for the winners. The high scoring final period saw five goals - three by Leo's and a pair from Tri-Town.

Dunlevy's second goal of the game gave Leo's a 2-1 lead at 11:13 of the third period before Demaggio and Murphy pumped home goals to send Tri-Town up.

Walsh and Bucknam turned the tide late in the game with goals just 34 seconds apart.

Bromander had two assists for Tri-Town while league leading scorer Polange also had a helper for the tough luck losers.

Cain's 7-Leo's 4

T. Costello notched the hat trick for Cain's who also were helped by two goals from Newell and singletons off the sticks of Andy Costello and Esposito.

Dunlevy paced the Leo's attack with the hat trick while the other goal was scored by Bissett. Andy Costello led the assist parade with a pair.

Tri-Town 5-Taz 3

Demaggio notched two Tri-Town goals with the other scoring spread out among Murphy, Fairweather and Demaggio. Fairweather also had two assists with singletons going to McNamara and Polange.

Scarano had two goals for Taz with Winston pocketing the other lamp-lighter. Winston and Scarano also had the Taz assists.

Burns honored

Daniel Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns, 2 Lockwood Road, Wilmington, received an award recently as co-captain of the soccer team at the athletic awards banquet

CAC boys basketball

	W-L-T Pts
Northeast	7-2-0 14
Lowell	7-2-0 14
Shawsheen	6-1-1 13
Greater Lawrence	4-3-2 10
Lynn Technical	4-4-1 9
Rockport	3-3-3 9
Whittier	4-5-1 9
Minuteman	2-7-0 4
Somerville Trade	0-8-0 0

Leading scorers

	G.	A.	Pts
Martel, Lynn Tech	14	13	27
Greenberg, Shawsheen	12	13	25
Michaud, Greater Lawrence	13	11	24
Gorassi, Northeast	13	8	21
Paquette, Lowell	10	9	19
Rawnsley, Lowell	7	11	18
Bordor, Lowell	10	7	17
Williams, Shawsheen	10	7	17
O'Brien, Minuteman	7	10	17
Toohey, Greater Lawrence	6	11	17

held at Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois.

Burns, a halfback for the team, led Lake Forest to an 8-2-2 overall record and first place in the Midwest Conference. He is presently a junior at Lake Forest College and is a graduate of the Canterbury School.

In next week's Crier

In next week's Town Crier, the Tewksbury High School girls junior varsity basketball team will be featured in a look at just how coach Dolly Sacramone's club has fared this winter.

Also, a look at the first varsity level wrestling meet between Tewksbury and Wilmington and Sports Notebook.



Robinson fires upset

Recently the Austin Prep hockey squad defeated archrival Billerica for the first time since 1975. Assisting in the important upset was Richard Robinson of Wilmington, seen here taking a shot on goal. Robinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Robinson of 6 Carolyn Road.

Snap two game slump

TMHS matmen bounce back

Tewksbury High School's wrestling team rebounded from two recent disappointing defeats with three impressive wins in mat action last week, defeating Concord Carlisle, 34-17 and Methuen 51-12 in a tri-meet Saturday night in Concord and topping Saugus 40-16 in action Thursday.

Redmen 34-17, 51-12

The double win boosted Tewksbury's record to 5-3 as Mike Smith (heavyweight), Mike Keon (157), Dave Keon (134) and Hobo Hague (114) posted a pair of wins.

Redmen 40-Saugus 16

Tewksbury's two meet losing streak came to an end as Mike Keon (157), Dave Keon (134), Hogo Hague (114) and Scott Homola (107) scored pins for the winners.

John Riddle took home a superior decision and Chris Ryan also won for the Redmen. Scott Tremlett, moved up 30 pounds to 187 and scored the upset of the match with his pin-victory.

Redmen

Tewksbury 34-Concord-Carlisle 17
100 - Perry (T) Sup. Dec. Skillian (CC), 17-0
107 - Homola (T) winner by forfeit.
114 - H. Hague (T) winner by forfeit.
121 - O'Neil (T) dec. Okorowski (CC) 12-5.

Softball meeting

Anyone interested in entering a team in the Tewksbury Recreation Softball League for the 1980 season should attend a meeting at the

128 - Mariano (CC) dec. Collins (T), 6-0.

134 - D. Keon (T) dec. J. Killian (CC), 10-9.

140 - Bilodeau (CC) pinned Niven (T), 3-45.

147 - Fischelis (CC) maj. dec. King (T), 8-0.

157 - M. Keon (T) pinned Stephenson (CC), 3-46.

Redmen

Tewksbury 40, Saugus 16
100 - J. Hague (T) drew DiPesa (S) 4-4.

107 - Homola (T) pin Corbett (S) 1-51.

114 - H. Hague (T) pin McGrath (S) 3-08.

121 - Riddle (T) dec Vatalri (S) 23-2.

128 - Sheridan (S) dec Collins (T) 11-4.

134 - D. Keon (T) pin Murphy (S) 3-15.

140 - T. McCarthy (S) dec King (T) 7-0.

147 - Brunell (S) won by forfeit.

157 - M. Keon (T) pin Macaluso (S) 1-00.

169 - Ryan (T) dec C. McCarthy (S) 2-1.

187 - Tremlett (T) pin Strangie (S) 5-06.

Heavy - Prestone (S) dec Smith (T) 7-0.

Wilmington Youth Hockey

Squirt A's edge Danvers

Thursday (Jan. 17) the A's topped Danvers 2-1 in a game that was scoreless at the end of the first period.

The second period ended with a goal for each team with Ray Mercuri the Wilmington scorer. In the third period Danny Woods got the go ahead goal for the home team.

Squirt A's 3-Methuen 3

Sunday (Jan. 20) the A's tied Methuen 3-3. Methuen took a quick lead only 14 seconds into the game, but less than a minute later the A's tied the score on a goal by Mario Martiniello assisted by Ray Mercuri and Steve Lowry.

In the second period Methuen scored before Wilmington bounced back with a goal from Mercuri assisted by Eric Cornish.

Again Methuen took the lead and again, Wilmington tied it up. Mark Marranzini got the tying goal with help from Steve Fuller and Danny Woods. The third period went scoreless.

The A's face Andover Sunday (Jan. 26) at the WYIA with game time at 3:50.

Pee Wee BI

Coaches Fred Stone and Jamie Boudreau's boys had a busy week, playing Reading and Bedford in the Wilmington League.

In their first game they lost to

Reading 2-1 and tied Bedford 2-2.

Traveling to Danvers the B's took on Reading again and won 3-1 to remain undefeated in Danvers.

Reading 2 BI I

The B's jumped out to a 1-0 lead in the first period as John McLaughlin found his range with help from Glenn Ford and Danny Kane.

It was up and down hockey until 2:41 of the third period when Reading knotted the score. With just four seconds left Reading pocketed the game winner.

BI 2-Bedford 2

At 6:03 Bedford took the lead in the first period and at 3:35 Jeff Brennan knotted the score with help from Jay MacFayden to end the period at 1-1. Bedford came back at 2:43 of the second period to make it 2-1 and at 11:37 of the third period David Needham knotted the game assisted by Todd Boudreau.

BI 3-Reading 1

The B's remained undefeated in the Danvers League.

Reading took a first period lead on a penalty shot and the score remained 1-0 until the third frame when the B's scored three unanswered goals.

Jeff Brennan scored twice and Chris Athanasia once with assists going to Danny Kane, John McLaughlin, Athanasia and David Marranzini.

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Swimming classes

The Recreation Department's new set of Red Cross swimming classes is scheduled to begin at the Shawsheen Tech pool Sunday, February 10.

Classes being offered are: Beginners for children ages eight and over. The child must be comfortable in the water and have no fear of putting his/her head under the water. Advanced Beginner and Intermediate for children ages eight and over who have their beginners card and are able to swim the length of the pool doing the crawl stroke.

Testing for these classes is scheduled for the Tech pool on Sunday, February 3. Beginners testing will be at 4:30 and Advanced Beginners and Intermediate testing will be at 3 p.m.

Cost is \$10 per child. To register call the Recreation Office at 658-6512.

Universal program

There are some openings left in the Universal Exercise program for those high school students and adults interested in using the 16 station conditioning machine at the high school.

Classes with openings are the high school girls-ladies class from 7 to 8 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday evenings, and the high school boys-men's classes from 7 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Cost is \$5 per student and \$15 per adult. Anyone interested should call the Recreation Office at 658-6512.

MVC indoor track

Results Monday

Billerica 50, Andover 36
Chelmsford 54, Tewksbury, 32
Wilmington 49, Lawrence 37
Lawrence Central 47, Lowell 39
Methuen 55, Austin Prep 31

	W.L.T
Billerica	6 0 0
Andover	5 1 0
Methuen	5 1 0
Chelmsford	4 1 1
Lawrence Central	3 2 1
Austin Prep	2 4 0
Lowell	2 4 0
Tewksbury	1 5 0
Wilmington	1 5 0
Lawrence	0 6 0

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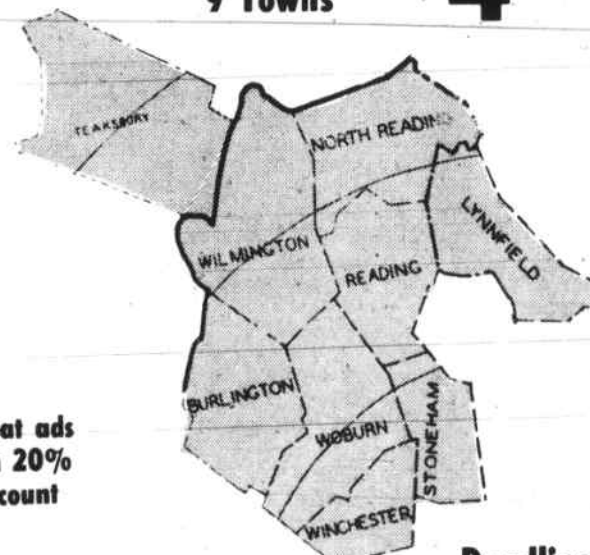
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Super Bowl reflections

Hockey
Wed., Jan. 23: Tewksbury vs Austin Prep (4:10 p.m., Forum).
Thurs., Jan. 24: Wilmington vs Central Catholic (6 p.m., Merrimack College).

Basketball
Fri., Jan. 25: Austin Prep at Tewksbury freshmen boys (3:15, Junior High); Bishop Fenwick at Tewksbury freshmen girls (3:15 High School).

Austin Prep at Tewksbury varsity boys; Central Catholic at Wilmington boys varsity (7:30).

Tewksbury varsity girls at Notre Dame (4:45).

Tues., Jan. 29: Andover at Tewksbury boys varsity; Wilmington boys varsity at Austin Prep (7:30).

Tewksbury varsity girls at Andover; Lowell at Wilmington varsity girls (7:30).

Andover East at Tewksbury freshmen boys; Tewksbury freshmen girls at Andover East (3:30).

Sat., Jan. 25: Wilmington vs Andover (2:40, Merrimack); Tewksbury at Methuen (7 p.m.).

Wrestling
Wed., Jan. 23: Wilmington at Tewksbury (6:30).

Mon., Jan. 28: Wilmington at Winchester (4 p.m.).

Track
Thurs., Jan. 24: Tewksbury vs Lowell; Wilmington vs Chelmsford (6 p.m., Methuen).

Mon., Jan. 28: Tewksbury vs Central Catholic; Wilmington vs Lowell (4 p.m., Phillips Academy).

Gymnastics
Fri., Jan. 25: Tewksbury boys at Revere (7 p.m.).

Mon., Jan. 28: Andover at Tewksbury boys (7 p.m.).

Tues., Jan. 29: Tewksbury girls at Winthrop (7:15 p.m.).

Next week: An expanded Where the Action is including youth and adult leagues in Wilmington and Tewksbury.

by Rick Cooke
Thought I'd shock everyone and bring the Notebook out of mothballs while starting the rejuvenation process with a few reflections on what was genuinely a Super Bowl - a surprisingly fine game between the Pittsburgh Steelers and the Los Angeles Rams.

Can anyone question that this Steeler football team now qualifies as a dynasty alongside the dominant likes of the New York Yankees, Montreal Canadiens, Boston Celtics and Green Bay Packers?

Granted, Pittsburgh probably should be ranked fifth behind those organizations in the dynasty hit parade, but with four world championships in six years during which time NFL commissioner Pete Rozelle has been going out of his way to preach parity, is quite an accomplishment and should rank the Pittsburgh team in that group of consistently successful sports franchises.

And with the peppering of youth that the Steelers have on both offense and defense they should be able to maintain this success, led by a Terry Bradshaw who is in the prime of his career and should continue along those lines for another six or seven years at least. Remember Rober Staubach is 38 while at last look the bomber Bradshaw was in his early thirties.

Some thoughts on the television coverage that as usual provided me with a share of chuckles and shakes of the head along the way.

After belting down a chilliburger during the last half hour of the usual eternal hour and a half pregame build-up I was ecstatic at the thought that CBS had put "commentator" Jayne Kennedy where she belonged - high atop the action in a helicopter where she was reduced to harmless meanderings about the scenery, telling us just how beautiful the countryside of the beautiful people in California really is.

Good job Jayne, better to have you review the landscape than to be on ground level doing nothing except looking pretty alongside Brett and Irv.

At least we escaped what went on in the Tampa Bay lockerroom after their playoff win over Philadelphia. Irv Cross after interviewing Buc quarterback Doug Williams - "Doug, Jayne says high" (wink). And after talking with defensive end Leroy Selmon - Irv - "Hey Leroy, Jayne wants to say hi," (giggle, wink).

I thought Charlie's Angels was on Wednesday nights?

After showing the football faithful that they still had some common sense left with the Kennedy move, CBS proceeded to take us to a bar called the Ginger Man in California for a glimpse of - ugh - Phyllis George, ex-Miss America and a CBS commentator before Kennedy - and her husband, Kentucky Governor John Y. Brown.

You all remember John Y. don't you? He's the person who gave Celtics general manager Red Auerbach Excedrin headache number 77.

If that wasn't bad enough, CBS' Paul Hornung (he works the bars for this network on Super Sundays) asked John Y. about the game and the president-elect for 1984 tells us how lucky he is to be governor while also being married to a former Miss American. Double ugh.



Ringside seats

Members of the Tewksbury High School gymnastics team watch a teammate perform on the balance beam in recent action.



Wilmington's Margaret Mooney (24) and Tewksbury's Annette Landry (right) battle for a rebound Tuesday night. Wilmington edged Tewksbury 61-50. See story page 11.

Tewksbury Adult League

Wang rolls, 78-64

Red-hot Wang Labs and rebounding Aubut's Liquors posted wins as the second half of the Tewksbury Adult Basketball League season got underway last Thursday night at the TMHS gym.

Wang ran off to its second straight impressive victory, downing once-beaten, first half champ M&S Mobil 78-64 behind Art Harris' 25 point performance. The previous Thursday Wang ripped Aubut's Liquors 74-53.

Aubut's, second place finishers in the first half with a 4-3 record, held off a Sullivan's Insurance charge in the final seconds to post a 76-73 win for their third victory over Sullivan's this season.

Thursday night (Jan. 24) Sullivan's taps off against the Jade East in the first game starting at 7:45, followed by the Mobil-Aubut's tussle at 9:00.

Mobil has beaten Aubut's twice thus far, 78-76 on a last second jumper, and 70-61 when a foul-plagued Aubut's team comeback fell short in the fourth quarter.

A summary of Thursday night's action.

Wang Labs 78-M&S Mobil 64
While Harris was red-hot a number of the defending champs standouts were uncharacteristically cold as Wang limited Steve Catalano to just 13 points and Brian Irwin to only four.

Guards Barry Sheehan and Gene Manley were the Mobil mainstays in defeat with 24 and 16 points respectively. Keith Caveney also turned cold for Mobil with just four points.

After Harris the balanced Wang attack was paced by guard Russ Dufresne with 12 and Fred Stec with nine points.

Aubut's Liquors 76-Sullivan's 73

The Aubut's streak against Sullivan's was stretched to six wins in

seven tries over the last two seasons when forward Mike Manna missed the first foul shot on a one-on-one situation that would have sent the game into overtime in the fourth quarter with Aubut's clinging to a 75-73 lead.

The winning attack centered around the rainbow buckets of guard Chris Prince who swished 26 while center Mike Mangano (12) and forward Gary Jenkins (11) also helped to spur the attack.

Forward John Mangano (four points) and scrappy guard Tom Geary (eight) came off the bench to make valuable contributions for Aubut's.

Sullivan's forward Jim Meuse took game high honors with 31 points and Manna was next in line with 23. Center Mickey Sullivan finished with 12 points for his club.

Second half standings

1. Aubut's Liquors 1-0
2. Wang Labs 1-0
3. Jade East 0-0
4. Sullivan's Insurance 0-1
5. M&S Mobil 0-1

Overall standings

1. M&S Mobil 7-2
2. Aubut's Liquors 5-3
3. Wang Labs 4-4
4. Sullivan's Insurance 3-5
5. Jade East 1-6

Upcoming games

January 31: 7:45 p.m., Sullivan Ins. vs Wang Labs; 9 p.m., Jade East vs Aubut's.

February 7: 7:45 p.m., Sullivan Ins. vs M&S Mobil; 9 p.m. Jade East vs Wang Labs.

February 14: 7:45 p.m., Wang Labs vs Aubut's; 9 p.m., M&S Mobil vs Jade East.

February 21: No game

February 28: 7 p.m., Sullivan Ins. vs Aubut's; 8:30 p.m., M&S Mobil vs Wang Labs.

Pat Summerall is fine in the booth, but his sidekick Tom Brookshier, a former player as is Summerall, continually offers nothing in the way of game insights - that former Kansas City Chief coach Hank Stram peppers his commentary with.

Tom is really a funny guy, after all he chortles at his own mild humorisms all the time. But when he keeps saying, "what a player, what a great guy, what a family man, what a private pilot."

What about the game Tom? I thought we got all the personality profiles out of the way during the pregame show? Or wasn't an hour and a half enough time?

We saw Jack Whitaker spreading his lovely prose like so many preserves twice over the five hour-plus telecast, both times the beauty of Pasadena came first, last and always.

The Pittsburgh working class down at Joe's Bar and Grill must have chortled. Tans are few and far between in the Steel City, but the winners are coming in bunches of black and gold.

MVC football schedules set
The expanded 14 member Merrimack Valley Conference just recently set its football schedule for the 1980 season.

The opening day's slate has coach Bob Aylward's Tewksbury Redmen at Lawrence Central Catholic while John Ritchie's Wildcats will journey to Andover.

The overall schedule for both teams has the Redmen, in the West Division with Wilmington in the new setup, drawing East Division opponents

Central Catholic, Haverhill, Greater Lawrence and Lawrence.

The Wildcats will tangle with Andover, Central Catholic, Austin Prep and Lawrence from the other division.

Members of the East schools include Methuen, Andover, Lawrence, Central Catholic, Austin Prep, Haverhill and Greater Lawrence Regional.

The West Division is made of Tewksbury, Wilmington, Billerica, Lowell, Dracut, Chelmsford and Greater Lowell Regional.

Lowell, Haverhill, Greater Lowell Regional and Greater Lawrence Regional are the first year teams in the expanded conference.

Each school will play games against opponents from their own division plus four games against teams from the other division to round out the 10 game gridiron slate.

The Redmen will travel to Cawley Stadium Saturday, October 25 to tangle with Lowell High.

The Thanksgiving morning games will see Tewksbury at Wilmington, Lowell at Lawrence, Dracut at Methuen, Billerica at Chelmsford, Greater Lowell at Greater Lawrence, Central Catholic at Andover and Haverhill at Austin Prep.

At the final meeting at which the expansion plan passed Methuen High Athletic Director Bill Gosselin expressed a desire to play Haverhill Thanksgiving morning while it was clear that Haverhill wanted no part of starting up a Turkey Day rivalry with Austin Prep.

It now appears, for the start at least, that first year MVC entry

Haverhill will have to settle for the Austin Thanksgiving game that could prove to be a fine tilt if Austin's football program builds upon the steps toward improvement that were evident late last season.

The races in both the East and West division should prove to be interesting with strong clubs Chelmsford, Tewksbury and Dracut lined up along with first year Lowell and a Wilmington team that always comes up with a varied offense under the wily Ritchie.

The West Division doesn't appear to be quite as strong on paper as far as football is concerned, but look for Andover, Methuen and Haverhill to be in the thick of that race.

List by size within GEOGRAPHIC ALIGNMENT OF BOYS GRADES 10-12 MVC West

Greater Lowell	1089
Chelmsford	1025
Lowell	850
Billerica	809
Tewksbury	588
Wilmington	462
Dracut	442

MVC East

Greater Lawrence	826
Haverhill	751
Andover	745
Methuen	688
Lawrence Central	577
Lawrence	453
Austin Prep	434

Wilmington frosh lose more than just a game with class

deserves attention, but the team's reaction to it does.

There was no bad-mouthing of Dracut. In fact, the consensus was that the Dracut kids were concerned about the incident and the Wilmington team appreciated that concern.

Speaking of concern, when coach Len Gustus asked one of the other players if she had lost anything as the bus rolled home, he was quickly hushed up. It seems that her jewelry and personal effects were also in the stolen handbag, but she was hoping that her friend would not remember and become more upset.

The entire team tried to make the best of a bad situation and before the bus arrived home, everyone on the bus garnered a cheer, including the driver. Of course, the cheerleader was the girl who lost her pocketbook. She also thanked coach Gustus for any effort he would make to recover the stolen purse.

As for the missing shoes, that girl's main concern was what her mother would think. When she phoned home, an understanding mother reassured her that it was okay.

It should be noted that this is a person who apologizes to the girls she

fouls on the court so perhaps it is understandable that she was more sad than she was angry over the incident.

Her only comment was a tearful... "and I bought those shoes with my own money."

Freshmen don't have a great deal of cash, but they surely do have class.

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